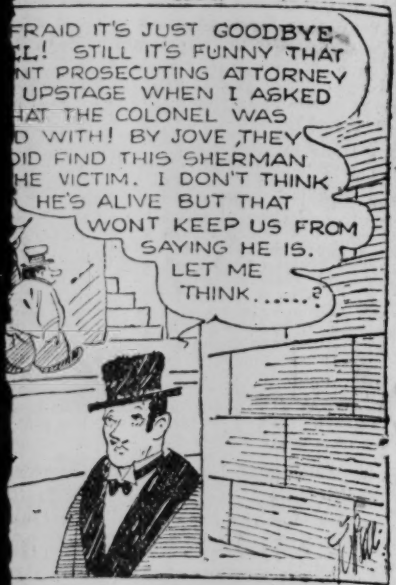


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COL. LINDBERGH TO MAKE FLIGHTS TO 5 REPUBLICS IN CENTRAL AMERICA

Will Visit Panama, Guatemala, Honduras, Salvador and Cuba After Leaving Mexico.

NICARAGUA ALSO EXTENDS INVITATION

Aiator to Remain in Mexico City for Christmas—Mother to Join Him—He Will Go to Bullfight.

By the Associated Press. Dec. 16.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh will spend Christmas in Mexico City and then plans to make a flight from the Mexican capital to the Central American countries of Guatemala, Honduras, Salvador and Panama. He expects his mother, Mrs. Evangeline L. Lindbergh of Detroit, to come to Mexico City as the guest of Ambassador Dwight W. Morrow to spend Christmas with him.

It is understood here that as Nicaragua also has extended him an invitation, it will be included in his itinerary.

Lindbergh, telling of his plans, said that the order in which he will visit the four Central American countries has not been decided. He will fly from Central America to Havana and then from Havana directly home to St. Louis.

First Venture Into Tropics.

"Yes, I am going down through Central America," Col. Lindbergh told the correspondents during the interview. "I have accepted the invitations of four countries and will then fly to Havana and thereafter home to St. Louis."

"I have not decided my route from Mexico City, whether it will be direct to Panama or direct to Guatemala City, or the order in which I will visit the countries."

"What's the object of the trip?" he repeated in reply to a question.

"Well, for one thing, I would like to do a little flying in the tropics which will be the first time for me. In addition I would like to visit the different Central American republics which I have not seen, although I was in Panama once, in 1914. I don't know when I will start, but it will be after Christmas."

Discussing aviation, Lindbergh said: "In the present stage, the development of aircraft communication by air between the United States and Mexico and Central as well as South American countries is entirely feasible. We should have lines connecting all these countries."

"We have not yet developed to the point where regular trans-Atlantic air communication is practical. I expect to see regular air routes to these countries before long. It is practicable to come to Mexico and Central and South America from the United States by air. It is not practicable as yet to cross the Atlantic by a regular schedule."

"Motor failure over land is not serious whereas over water, with the equipment we have used in the past, there is little chance of being forced up. The most important problem to be solved in trans-Atlantic flying is the ability to communicate and communicate after a forced landing in the water."

Wish Without Parachute.

He was then asked whether he had ever carried a parachute on his flights, the question being prompted by the fact that he carried no parachute when he hopped off from Washington.

"No, I have not carried parachutes on my flights," he said. "I could carry one in the Spirit of St. Louis by making adjustments, but I never have; they are absolutely unnecessary in some types of flying, but not all. I consider parachutes unnecessary in passenger flying, but necessary in tests, for example, stunt flying and flying over land territory."

Lindbergh saved himself with parachute four times previous to his trans-Atlantic flight, once in Texas, once in St. Louis and twice in the St. Louis-Chicago mail run.

Lindbergh Speaks at School.

Col. Lindbergh made a speech at the American School, one of the outstanding educational institutions of Mexico City. He visited the school with Ambassador Morrow and met a loud welcome from the 100 students of many nationalities assembled to greet him.

The students, ranging in age from kindergarten to college grades, knew no years as they

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FAIR TONIGHT, TOMORROW; TEMPERATURE TO RISE THE TEMPERATURES.

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PUBLIC FUNERAL SUNDAY FOR DEAD IN ORPHANAGE FIRE

City and Province of Quebec to Bear Expenses of Burial—Requiem Mass Set for Monday.

36 BODIES, MOSTLY OF CHILDREN, FOUND

14 Still Unaccounted for Believed to Have Died in Flames—Damage \$250,000.

By the Associated Press.

QUEBEC, Dec. 16.—With the recovery today of the bodies of three more children, the death list in the Hospice St. Charles fire reached 36. Fourteen others were still missing, 26 hours after the blaze.

Danger of falling walls halted search of the ruins for a time, but temporary reinforcement of the masonry permitted the work to continue. Bodies recovered today were so charred the identification was virtually impossible.

Tells Story of Identification. In a faltering voice which at times broke into sobs, Sister St. Germain, superior of the hospice, told her story of the disaster at a coroner's inquest today.

She was awakened at 10:40 Wednesday night by the cry of fire, she said, and joined other sisters of the orphanage in the rescue work. Three times she led groups of sleepy children from the building and was stopped on her fourth trip back when firemen told her that to enter the hospice would be suicidal.

Screams of the trapped youngsters, as they realized themselves cut off from escape and pleaded with rescuers to carry them to safety, were heart-rending, she said.

Joseph Roy, another witness, said three of his children were wards of the orphanage. One of them perished. The other two he saved himself. Roy followed fire apparatus to the hospice, he said, and assisted them in the first rescue work, leading two of his young daughters to the street. Later he found the body of the third, a seven-year-old girl, at the morgue.

A public funeral will take place Sunday afternoon for the victims of the fire. All expenses will be borne by the municipal and provincial authorities.

Burial will follow the group funeral service. On Monday a mass will be celebrated for the victims.

Ruins Covered With Ice. The 85-year-old orphanage, which had housed 500 children and a number of nuns, was a mass of ice-covered ruins. A modern wing, however, stood undamaged. The loss was estimated by the Vea. Mother St. Hildegarde at \$250,000, of which \$90,000 is covered by insurance.

In the disaster there were deeds of heroism, not the least of which was that of Miss Anna Goudreau, 17 years old, who met death rescuing her young charges in the infant ward. After repeated trips into the burning building, on each of which she brought out a few sleepy youngsters, she made a final visit from which she failed to return.

Most Bodies Uncharred. Hours later her charred body was found near a room in which several babies had been suffocated in their sleep. Most of the recovered bodies were uncharred, but only a few had been identified to date.

The blaze started in the basement and had worked its way to the second floor when it was discovered by a passerby. The cause is undetermined. Before the work of rescue could be completed, the walls had collapsed.

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cheered. The cheer leader had his arms ready when the flyer and ambassador appeared and the campus resounded with yells.

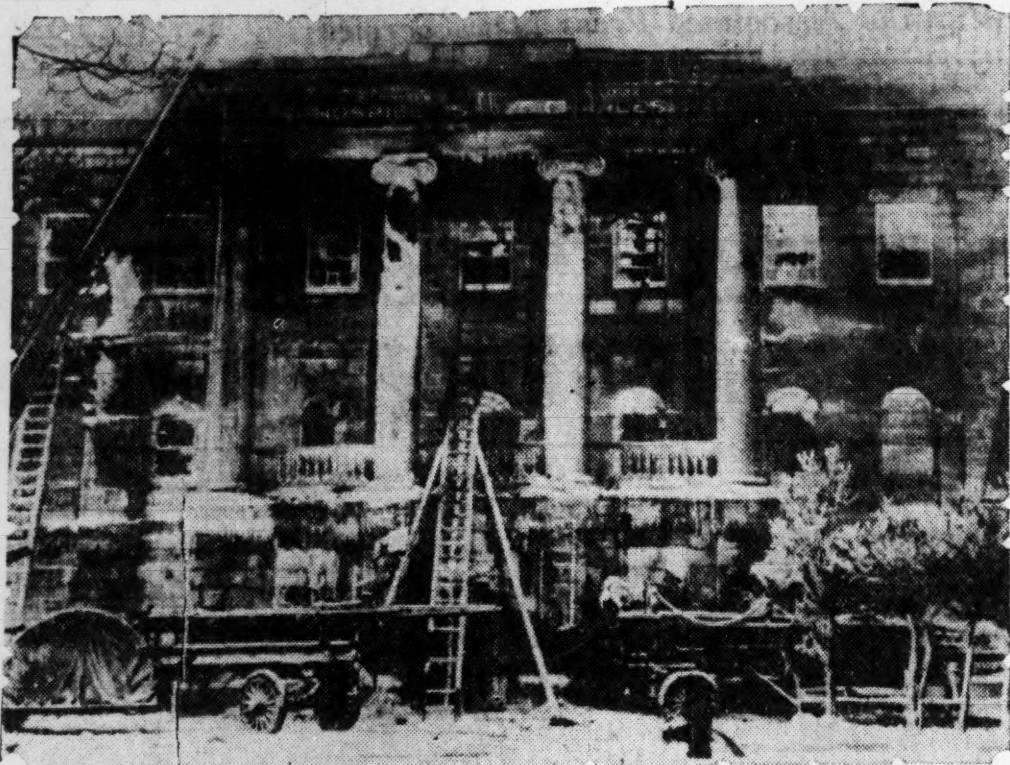
Lindbergh, standing on the balcony of the building, addressed the children and youths in the yard below. "I think you would all like to hear something about the new means of communication coming into use throughout the world," he said. "The air is the coming means of transportation between the United States and Mexico. Even today airplanes can be flown at no greater expense than automobiles can be driven and an airplane will outlast an automobile."

"The Spirit of St. Louis has flown 37,000 miles, practically with no overhaul or replacement, only a few minor parts having been replaced."

"In the future we will be flying regularly between Mexico and the United States. By the time you are ready to travel there will be regular air lines."

"Your country here is ideally situated for flying and I know you will be availing yourselves of this modern means of transportation."

Where 36 Orphan Girls Died in Fire



Ruins of Hospice St. Charles, Quebec, Canada.

After his address, the students extended a formal invitation to Col. Lindbergh to attend their school dance yesterday but he could not promise to be present. The ambassadors were applauded as they passed out through lines of students lined up to do them honor.

Will Attend Balfright. Lindbergh indicated that he might go to a ball fight on Sunday. When asked about protests from the United States against his going to a bull fight, he replied: "I think Mexico is perfectly capable of choosing its own national sport."

Protests from organizations in all parts of the United States against his possible attendance at a bull fight continue to reach the embassy. About 60 have been received, including one from Minnie Madern Fiske, the actress.

So eager have Mexicans been to honor Lindbergh that it is now impossible to buy an American flag anywhere in the city. A Japanese merchant who had the biggest stock of flags in the city, disposed of the last one this morning and although he could have got almost any price for the banners, he maintained the usual prices until the last flag was sold.

Paid the highest honor in the power of the Mexican Government, Lindbergh today was ready to gratify the desire of the plain people of Mexico City to see him before he flew away to other parts of Latin America. During his stay several public ceremonies will be held in the big athletic stadium, seating 30,000 people, and other enclosures so that all may see the flyer. He has expressed his willingness to fly over the city, to gratify the public's interest.

For the first time in its history, the Mexican Congress held a "solemn session for a private citizen, when Lindbergh was received in the chamber of deputies. This was the highest honor Congress could pay him as such a session is called rarely and only for the most important government officials.

Ambassador of Good Will. Lindbergh is not a private citizen, but an "ambassador of good will to the Mexican people," the deputies decided by formal vote. He was therefore entitled to receive highest honors.

During the session, cheers for a President of the United States were heard, probably for the first time. The deputies gave "vivas" for President Coolidge, Lindbergh and Dwight W. Morrow, American Ambassador.

The flyer was presented with a gold medal by Dr. Alejandro Cerillas, president of the Chamber of Deputies. On one side was the Mexican coat of arms, on the other was inscribed:

"To Col. Lindbergh from the Mexican Chamber of Deputies."

Mexican Chamber of Deputies on behalf of the Congress of Mexico and in order to express our admiration for his noble feat and glorious mission."

Lindbergh stood on the rostrum beside the President and bowed in appreciation as Deputies and spectators cheered. Then addressing the Assembly, he said:

"I am thankful for all these distinctions which are being given to me in Mexico. I have not enough words to thank you for this."

The aviator was praised in speeches by several Deputies. A banquet followed at which toasts were proposed to President Coolidge, Morrow and Lindbergh.

Lindbergh listened to Mexican music until after midnight. An entertainment in his honor was given by the Foreign Office in one of Mexico City's largest theaters. Three thousand invited guests gathered and from early in the evening until Lindbergh left, the streets outside were jammed by crowds anxious to catch a glimpse of him.

Calles' Guest at Theater. Lindbergh sat in a box with Calles, Morrow, acting Foreign Minister Estrada, Secretary of the Treasury Montes De Oca, and Martinez De Alba, of the foreign office. All the members of the cabinet and their families were in the other boxes as well as the entire diplomatic corps.

The gathering cheered for Lindbergh as he and Calles and Morrow entered. At one time the crowd turned toward the box and shouted: "Lindy, Lindy, Lindy."

The flyer rose and stood at the edge of the box, smiled and bowed his thanks.

The foreign office assembled the best musical talent of Mexico for his entertainment. Lindbergh seemed to enjoy especially the singing of the "Mexican Song of the Future," a song composed by the professional sobriquet "Ta Ta Na Cho" and is sort of a George M. Cohan of Mexico and one of the country's most popular composers.

He played and sang some of his own compositions as well as Mexican folk songs. The musicians presented Lindbergh with a great bouquet of roses and a handsome sash or gaily colored native shawl.

Six hundred school children cheered Lindbergh as he entered one of the biggest public schools—Benito Juarez, named in honor of the Mexican patriot who is called "The Lincoln of Mexico."

The children sang the Mexican and American National Anthems as well as "Old Folks at Home," "Old Black Joe" and Mexican folk songs. After the ceremonies they swarmed around the flyer, all insisting on saluting him personally and most of them succeeded in touching him at least before he departed.

During the Colonel's visit the "Lincoln Library" of the school, a gift of an American organization, "The Friends of Mexico" was opened.

Two school girls about 12 years old invaded the American Embassy yesterday before Lindbergh was up. To the first person they encountered, they said: "We want to see Lindy, please. We tried but failed. We'll be

very unhappy unless you let us see him. Can't you please tell him?"

Their pleas were addressed to Col. McNab, military attaché, "You bet," he replied.

Shakes Hands With Girls. Col. McNab placed the girls in an office window overlooking the embassy residence. Lindbergh came into the room and shook hands with the girls.

An automobile load of girls waited in front of the embassy. When he went out to visit the flying field the car trailed him there and back. Often the girls ran their car alongside the embassy limousine, the senioritas craning their necks to stare at the flyer, who, seemingly unaware of their admiration, chatted with his companions.

At the foreign office a woman among the spectators reached out a baby she was carrying and placed it in Lindbergh's arms. The flyer blushed then smiled, held the baby for a moment then handed it back. The mother's face was wreathed in joy.

Mexico is priding itself that a single souvenir hunter has sought to mutilate Lindbergh's plane.

President of Nicaragua Invites Lindbergh to Make Visit. MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Dec. 16.—President Diaz of Nicaragua today sent an invitation to Col. Lindbergh to visit Nicaragua on his projected flight from Mexico City to Central America.

The invitation was as follows: "The people of Nicaragua who admire your wonderful achievements have a great desire that you visit our republic. In expressing this sentiment I extend a most cordial invitation to you to come to Nicaragua, where we await you with enthusiasm."

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James Hayes, Denied Clemency on Insanity Plea, Pays Penalty at Springfield.

By the Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 16.—James Hayes, ax-murderer of Mrs. Dolly Platt, was hanged here this morning.

Hayes was a farm hand on a farm leased by Mrs. Platt near New Berlin in Sangamon County. Becoming enamored of her 15-year-old daughter, Mary Audrey, one night he decided to go into the house and kill the old lady and carry off her daughter.

The women, alone in the farmhouse, first knew of his presence when he started beating down their bedroom door with an ax. They ran out the back door and separated. Mary Audrey escaped. Mrs. Platt crawled behind a chicken coop, where Hayes found and killed her.

Negro Slayer Hanged at Metropolis, Ill.

METROPOLIS, Ill., Dec. 16.—William Brown, 46 years old, Negro, was hanged in the jail yard this morning for the murder last December of Sadie Harris, Negro, of Brookport. Several hundred persons witnessed the execution. Phil Hanna of Carmi, who has officiated at 40 hangings, assisted Sheriff Fred Risinger of Massac County.

Man Dies After Being Hit BY AUTOMOBILE OF WAITRESS

Internal Injuries Fatal to C. F. Maulding, Manager of East St. Louis Filling Station.

C. F. Maulding, manager of a gasoline filling station in East St. Louis, who was struck by an automobile at Third and State streets Tuesday morning, died of internal injuries today in St. Mary's Hospital, East St. Louis. He was 60 years old and lived at 1116 Pennsylvania avenue, East St. Louis.

Mrs. Mabel Liles, a waitress of 2918 College avenue, East St. Louis, the driver of the machine, is under bond to appear at the coroner's inquest. Maulding's relatives said he made statements at the hospital extenuating her of blame.

DR. T. W. GOODSPEED DIES Had Been Connected With U. of Chicago 25 Years.

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Existence of the University of Chicago is in a large measure due to the efforts of Dr. Goodspeed. The Rev. Frederick T. Cates, in his introduction to Dr. Goodspeed's "History of the University of Chicago," says to him belongs "the honor of first calling John D. Rockefeller's attention effectively to the unique educational needs and opportunities at Chicago."

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Robinson Carries Burden. Thus far, the role of Hearst defenders on the committee has been assumed principally by Senator Hiram Johnson of California and to a somewhat less pronounced extent by David A. Reed of Pennsylvania, both Republicans, and both candidates for re-election in states where Hearst newspapers enjoy a large circulation. Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the Democratic floor leader, has carried the burden of cross-examining the Hearst witnesses. Senator Jones (Rep.) of Washington and Senator Bruce (Dem.) of Maryland have been passive.

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Sutton and Boulden Settled.

As was noted in yesterday's Post-Dispatch, Sutton obtained a settlement of \$62,445 and his \$65,000-a-year job for life, from the Walke firm. Boulden was paid \$61,000 to terminate his employment.

The taking of Schenkel's deposition will be continued next Thursday morning. The injunction suit to prevent Schenkel from capitalizing his knowledge of the formula will be heard before Circuit Judge Hartmann, Jan. 13.

In an answer, Schenkel says the "Ozonite" formula is so valuable it helped the Walke company to pay out \$30,000,000 in dividends, to "pinch out" \$5,000,000 when the company was reorganized, and \$3,000,000 in the recent sale.

Procter & Gamble yesterday announced that all employees here would work on a 50-hour basis, applying the old 54-hour week at the Walke plant. Wages will not be lowered. An additional 100 employees will be added to the 400 now engaged.

ALIENISTS' REPORT ON REMUS GIVEN JURY AS TESTIMONY Continued From Page One.

Woman like her should be removed from the community," the alienists quoted Remus as saying.

Remus displayed no remorse for his act and discussed the insanity defense he intended to make, Dr. Wolfstein said.

"Remus told me," said the witness, "that any man who commits a crime is insane. He quoted Lombroso, the Italian criminologist, to this effect. He said he had made a plea of temporary insanity when defending a man. Ellis and got Ellis off with 14 years."

The astounding quick of legal procedure which had the Court ruling out most of the alienists' report at the start of today's session, then permitting virtually the entire report to go before the jury in Dr. Wolfstein's testimony, had both judges and the jury puzzled.

State's counsel accepted developments philosophically and defense counsel made perfunctory protests.

Dr. Wolfstein, describing Remus' most spectacular outburst in the courtroom, which was a post-mortem of the trial, said he attended Remus after the killing.

He quoted Remus as referring to the testimony of Harry Truesdale, gangster, who told of a murder plot against the Italian criminologist, to which Remus had collapsed.

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I recall, however, that Truesdale testified he previously had apprised Remus of the plot." Referring to Remus' behavior after the killing, Dr. Wolfstein pointed out that Remus showed none of the symptoms which alienists consider must inevitably follow a period of delirium.

"His mind was clear," said the witness. "He remembered distinctly what had happened. He did not fall into a deep sleep. He talked coherently."

The doctor said Remus was sane at the time of the killing, sane now and "always sane."

ALIENISTS RATE REMUS AS INDIVIDUAL OF AVERAGE ADULT INTELLIGENCE.

George Remus is rated as an individual of average adult intelligence, according to the alienists' report, which finds he was sane at the time he killed his wife.

Tests showed him unequal in quality of performance, however, with his best records in tests called for verbal response.

"He succeeded in no tests above the average adult level and failed in certain tests below this level," the report read.

Remus took up bootlegging, the alienists reported he told them, "as he was feeling the strain of the responsibility of defending criminal cases."

"We asked if he did not think these bootlegging activities were of greater strain than a criminal 'lav practice,'" wrote the psychiatrists. He answered that the responsibility was not nearly so great, for where-as he had been working to save men from long imprisonment or even death, he was now saving men from a moral standpoint.

He recognized that he was morally violating the law, but stoutly maintained that he was not more guilty from a moral standpoint than those who violated it by purchasing the liquor.

Free From Anxieties and Phobias.

Remus had no special anxieties, organized fears, phobias or compulsive ideas, the alienists noted.

"Remus was asked to enumerate all persecutions which had continued since the killing of his wife. He recounted first, the accusation of being accessory to the murder of an Indiana Sheriff, and second, the sending to him of poisoned candy."

Asked at what time he began to entertain the idea of killing Mrs. Remus, he replied it began with the discovery of a plot, and, after special effort to fix the date of this discovery, said it was at least before his leaving the Atlanta penitentiary Sept. 2.

Asked when he first made threats against Mrs. Remus, he said he made a threat to "get even" shortly after taking possession of his home in Eden Park. Asked to describe any sensation which he believed indicated that he was insane, he replied that he felt a halo about his head for eight or 12 months before the killing. This sensation was intermittent.

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Judge Stops Questioning of Burns Detective Who Talked to Juror Kidwell's Parents.

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O'Reilly is a Government witness in the criminal contempt cases against Sinclair, William J. Burns and others growing out of the shadowing of the trial jury. He had testified that he visited the home of the juror's parents and talked with them, but on direct examination he was questioned by James J. O'Leary, Assistant District Attorney, that he must not describe the conversation.

Charles A. Douglas, counsel for the Burns men, asked O'Reilly to tell of the conversations yesterday, but the Government objected, but the Government objected on the ground that this feature had not been gone into on direct examination.

What Defense Wanted to Show.

The defense contended the reason the Government did not ask O'Reilly about the conversation was fear that his testimony would show they were only casual and of no importance in the case.

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YOUTHS IN HOLDUP
TILL HELP COMES

Prevents Escape of Robbers Who Had Taken \$34 From Mrs. Frank Umzeitig in Home.

With fangs bared in a snarl and the hair on his neck standing erect, Bob, an 18-month-old police dog, last night drove two holdup men away from the back door of the home of his master, Frank Umzeitig, at 3424 Lucas avenue, and forced them to wait for help in front of the place.

Umzeitig, in a rear room of the house, heard his wife backed away from the door by two men who rang the bell at 9:30 o'clock, and dining that they were robbers, picked up his pistol and started out the back door for help.

"Guard this door," he whispered to Bob, who was on the back porch and ran around the house for help in front of the place.

Umzeitig fired a shot in the air and Police Lieut. Coakley, who was passing in an automobile, stopped to investigate.

Meanwhile, the two youths, who had robbed Mrs. Umzeitig of \$34, ran to the back door, only to be driven back by the dog. There was nothing left for them to do but to await capture, Coakley and Umzeitig entered the place and Coakley arrested them as they threw their pistols away.

They said they were Walter Mushenick and Samuel Lambert, each 17 years old.

Three Store Managers Among Six Reporting Robberies.

William Rauch, manager of a chain grocery store at 3417 Market street, was robbed of \$5.85 last night by two armed men who stopped him as he left his store.

Leonard Dotson, manager of a store at 3900 McKnight avenue, was robbed of \$29 and his companion, Charles Bryant of 2018 Postal street, lost \$1.35 to two men answering the same description a half hour later.

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Tubable Frocks

Of the gayest new prints, and of finest French voile with hand-work. So many, many lovely styles you'll have no difficulty finding just the right one. Many have bloomers to match. \$2.95 up.



Raincoats
and Sets

Smart, sporty styles, in red, blue, black, green, leather color, some with hat to match; some with hat and school-bag. A practical gift she will enjoy. Sizes 6 to 14. \$4.95, \$6.95 to \$10.



Chinchilla Coats

To keep her warm and give her a great deal of style-satisfaction, one of these tailored regulation Coats of navy Chinchilla, double-breasted with red suède-woolen lining. Sizes 6 to 14 at \$12.95. (Third Floor.)



Gift Cabinets
of Stationery

Smart Stationery is a gift that is sure to please—especially when it comes in hinged-top gift boxes such as these. Correspondence cards, writing paper and envelopes to match in white and colors; ribbon tied, 95c.

Christmas Cards

A pretty assortment of twelve die-stamped engraved greeting Cards, all different, with fancy lined envelopes to match are 50c

Pencil Boxes

Drawer-style school and kindergarten sets fitted with crayons, dictionary, pencils, drinking cup, bank and ruler—a most complete outfit for . . . 95c (Main Floor.)

Store Open Daily Until 6:00 P. M.

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Dainty Glove Silk Gowns

For Christmas Gifts

The perfect gift is the gift one can wear. Glove Silk Gowns, pajamas and two-piece sets in attractive smart looking applique designs of contrasting colors; some have colored Georgette and hand-embroidered flower designs, and briar-stitching; pastel colors, black and white....\$5.95 to \$19.95

Step-Ins and Dance Sets

Hand and machine-made of Georgette, Ninon and silk crepe with fine thread lace, net footings, insets of embroidered nets; in pastel colors, black and white....\$6.95 to \$19.95
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For Gifts—Lovely Silk

ROBES

\$12.75 to \$39.75

The lovely embroidered satin robe sketched, with deep silk fringe at bottom and on sleeves, is one of the distinctive negligees assembled for your gift-choice. Others, equally beautiful, are of crepe de chine, crepe satin, cut velvet, and quilted silks in tailored and intricate styles with trimmings of marabou, ostrich and embroidery.

Children's Robes

Smart, simple, and quite the loveliest imaginable, in crepe de chine or softest wool-challis in pastel colors or rosebud design; \$6.95 and \$8.95.
(Third Floor.)



Sweaters Are Smart Gifts

The unusual Sweater-fashions that make this such an interesting season are here. A wonderful variety in coat and pullover styles, in the soft Zephyr medium weight and heavy knit. All-white, all-black, and smart shades of green, tan, red, rust, powder blue and navy—sizes 34 to 56.... \$5.95 to \$8.95
(Third Floor.)

French Kid Gloves

In Smart New Effects

A delightful gift for any woman or young miss—these Gloves fashioned of fine soft kid that prove their "Style Rightness" by novelty cuffs trimmed and applied in contrasting colors. Choice of P. K. sewn and embroidered backs, in all the desired shades and sizes. Pair..... \$3.95

Children's Gloves, \$1.50

Capeskin Gloves that are lined throughout with warm fleece—so that small hands may look well and be warm. One-clasp length in brown or tan, sizes 6 to 7.

Fabric Gloves, 95c

Imported fully-shrunk chambray-suede fabric Gloves made in the popular novelty cuff styles, turn down or flare, and embroidered in soft colors.
(Main Floor.)

Women's Gift Slippers

Are Christmas Presents of Beauty and Comfort

Colored Kid Slippers

Mules and D'Orsay are extremely smart in black, red, blue or brown kid, with covered wood heels and either soft cushion soles or flexible leather soles. \$5 and \$5.50.

D'Orsay Slippers of imitation alligator and brown kid, lined with soft champagne-color kid.... \$4.00

D'Orsay Slippers of kid, lined with gold and green, trimmed with gold kid and lined with satin.... \$6.50

Fancy Mules in pastel green or blue.... \$5.00

Satin Mules with feather trimming.... \$6.50

Daniel Green Slippers

Daniel Green Slippers have a reputation for comfortableness—and these boudoir Slippers in satin or leather are attractive as well. In satin, \$2.50; leather, \$3.00.

Kid Mules, in black, blue or red, trimmed with gold satin and lined with rose or gold color.... \$5.50

Satin Mules, tailored or daintily trimmed; in black satin with turquoise, lavender or coral lining.... \$3.75

Slippers for the Kiddies In Various Styles

Comfy Felt Booties with soft padded soles and checkered cuffs; gold trimmed. Sizes 5 to 8.... 85c

Leather Slippers for brother; of tan calfskin, with soft padded soles; sizes 1 to 6.... \$2.25

Boudoir Slippers for sister; trimmed with gold and attractive rosettes; in blue or American Beauty.... \$1.50
(Main Floor.)

IT'S CHRISTMAS TIME AT STIX BAER and FULLER

Women's Silk Hose

Are Practical Christmas Gifts \$1.95

She will love our Corinne 500 full-fashioned pure thread-silk Hose of sheer chiffon weave. Made with picot edge silk top, solid silk soles and reinforced with block in toe; all popular colors.

Gordon Chiffon Hose

Beautiful quality Gordon V-line silk-top Chiffon Hose are full-fashioned and very sheer; hem and soles are interlined with fine lisle; all popular colors, pair..... \$2.50
(Main Floor.)

French Beaded Bags

Are Lovely and Appropriate Gifts \$19.95

Gorgeous gifts which are sure to please the most exacting taste are these exquisite French Steel Beaded Bags with elaborate new gold, silver and colored designs.

NEW CHANEL JEWELRY

—Replicas of Paris originals; crystal cut stones set in silver-plated chains, 30-inch and choker sizes; crystal, sapphire, ruby and rose. Bracelets to match. Priced... \$1.25 to \$9.00

SHERBET SETS

—For a gift of lasting distinction choose one of these sterling silver Sherbet Sets consisting of six cups with etched glass inserts; hand-somely boxed. Priced at..... \$12.00
(Main Floor.)



Boys' Yankiboy Playsuits

—Are Gifts as Christmasy as You'll Find

Cowboy	Tom Mix	Indian	Cowboy	Policeman
Checked flannel shirt, imitation bear trousers; lariat, pistol outfit, belt and hat. Sizes 6 to 14.... \$4.95	Checked flannel shirt, white sheep trouser fronts; felt hat, long holster, handkerchief. Sizes 8 to 14.... \$10.00	Khaki drill, printed front, red fringe, yellow trimmings; bonnet, 12 feathers, back streamer. 2 to 14.... \$1.45	Checked flannel shirt, khaki trousers; hat to match, lariat, handkerchief, long gun and holster. 4 to 14.... \$2.50	Navy blue drill trimmed with white braid; nickled star, club, belt, holster and cap with badge. 8 to 18.... \$3.25

Boys' Sheeplined Coats

Practical Gifts \$7.98

These Coats are tailored of weather-proof khaki moleskin cloth and have large, beaverized sheepskin collars, four roomy pockets and belts all around. 8 to 18.

Alligator Raincoats

Short style Coats with strapped, corduroy collars and buckle fronts. Yellow, black and green. Sizes 10 to 18, \$5.50
(Boys' Own Store—Fourth Floor.)

Boys' Leather Coats

Black Horsehide \$16.98

So smart and warm are these Coats that girls, as well as boys, like to wear them. Four pockets, belts and wool linings. Self or sheepskin collars. 8 to 18.

Plus-4 Golf Knickers

Roomy, comfortable woolen Knickers, in desirable patterns and colors of the season. 12 to 18, \$3.95
(Boys' Own Store—Fourth Floor.)

Pearl-on-Amber Style Toilet Sets for Gifts

Beautiful mirror with long handle, well-made hair brush and comb, in two exquisite patterns; may be had in all the popular colors; Set.... \$5

French Perfumes

Corday's... Vigny's... Jovoy's Perfumes with their exquisite fragrances are gifts which are sure to please the most exacting taste \$5.95

Imported Atomizers

So brightly gleaming in their charming patterns and colors, so lustrous with silk hose and silk netted globes, are these charming imported Atomizers that it is hard to believe they are priced at only \$1.95
(Main Floor.)

Buy Gift Jewelry on the Budget Plan

Diamond Wrist Watch, Special \$69.75

She will be thrilled if you give her this dainty solid gold Wrist Watch set with 10 gleaming diamonds, synthetic sapphires and emeralds. And it has guaranteed lever movement. Choice of three designs at this special price. First Payment \$7

Waltham Watches

For Him—This 17-jeweled Waltham Watch with 14-karat gold-filled case. In original Waltham gift box. Special, \$32.95
1st Payment \$3.50

Diamond Brooch

Platinum-top Brooch, set with 3 star-like diamonds and square-cut synthetic sapphires, in a lacy filigree design. \$12.50
First Payment \$12.50
(Main Floor.)

Effanbee Dolls, \$5.95

Adorable Dollies, for the girls who like Mama Dolls and Baby Dolls—and they have sleeping eyes—and appealing voice. All are very attractively dressed.

Kiddie Kar Stroller, \$3.95

It's ever so convenient for Mother—and the wee tot will love it—this Kiddie Kar Stroller in pretty red or blue finish, with handle.

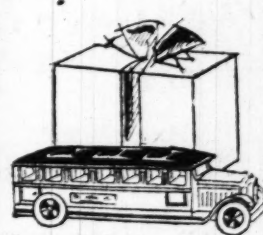


Columbia Sled, \$3.45

Whizzing down the hill—with this Columbia flexible Coaster Sled that has fast all-steel runners and hardwood body. It'll be loads of fun.

Doll Cradle, \$3.95

Dolly will go to sleep right away if she has this grand wicker Cradle on rockers. It is attractively lined with blue or pink cotton sateen.



TOYS

Gathered in Glorious Array in Toytown

Intercity Bus, \$2.50

Gayly colored in blue or yellow with bright trimming, this large size friction toy looks very much like the real ones.

Pool Table, \$3.98

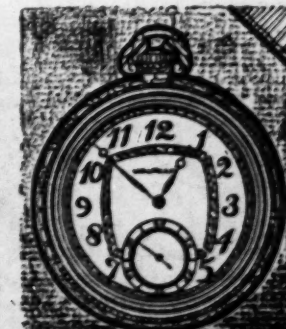
The whole family will want to join a game of pool on this large size table, metal with felt top, complete with cues, balls and rack.

Cedar Chest, \$3.98

She will be proud to keep dollies' clothes neatly together if she has this attractive Chest of fragrant red cedar with bright metal trimming.

Tool Chest, \$5.95

Real Tools packed in a metal case that locks, will surely thrill the boy who wants to make things—and so many boys like to work with tools.
(Toytown—Fifth Floor.)



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Gifts for Boys—Good Looking
and Comfortable

Horsehide Coats

BLACK and cordovan horsehide Coats, double breasted, lined with sheepskin in the body and cloth in the sleeves. Collars of opossum dyed sheepskin. Roomy flap pockets for carrying one's belongings and muff pockets for carrying one's hands. Sizes 8 to 18 years. Price **\$25.00**

Leatherette Jiffy Jackets

Smart leatherette Jackets in black or brown, with zipper fastening, flap pockets, and knitted bottom and cuffs. The kind of thing to please the smart young gentleman of any age. Sizes 6 to 18 years. Price **\$7.50**

Wool Golf Knickers

\$2.65 a Pair

Two Pairs for \$5.00

Knickers in gray and tan mixtures, packed in Christmas boxes. Knickers like these form an essential part of any schoolboy's wardrobe. Sizes 6 to 16 years.

Boys' Shops—Second Floor.

French Handmade Nightgowns

Exquisitely Embroidered

For Christmas
Gift Choice

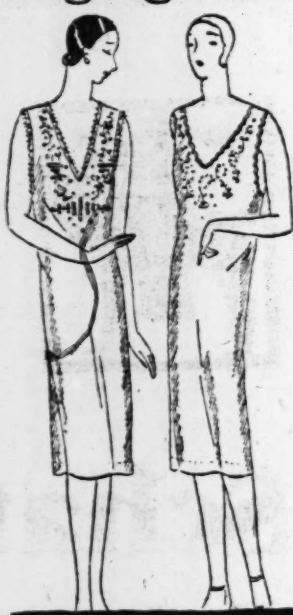
At **\$9.95**

FRENCH handmade Nightgown with embroidered design and embroidered scallops finishing V neckline. Another model has real lace edging.

At **\$8.95**

This dainty Nightgown is made of crepe de chine with hand embroidery and hemstitching design in front and Val. lace edging.

French Lingerie Shop—Third Floor.



Men's Gloves

Regular and cadet sizes in mocha, buck and capeskin. One clasp. Substandard **\$2.35**

One-Clasp Capeskin Gloves

Men's handsewn Gloves in a good weight capeskin **\$1.85**

Capeskin and Buck Gloves

With bands of self and contrasting leathers. Embroidered backs **\$3.00**

Men's Glove Shop—First Floor.



Houbigant's Perfumes

In Exquisite Odeurs
for Christmas Cheer

THE thoughtful gift of Perfume is one of correctness and individuality especially if you choose an odeur that expresses the personality of the recipient.

En Visite, \$8

Subtilite, \$12.50

Le Belle Saison, \$20

Vandervoort's Toilet Goods Shop—First Floor.



Men's Leather Slippers

\$3

OF soft kid leather, these men's Slippers are splendid solutions to the masculine gift problem. In sizes from 6½ to 12.

Slipper Headquarters—Second Floor.

Week-End Candy Special

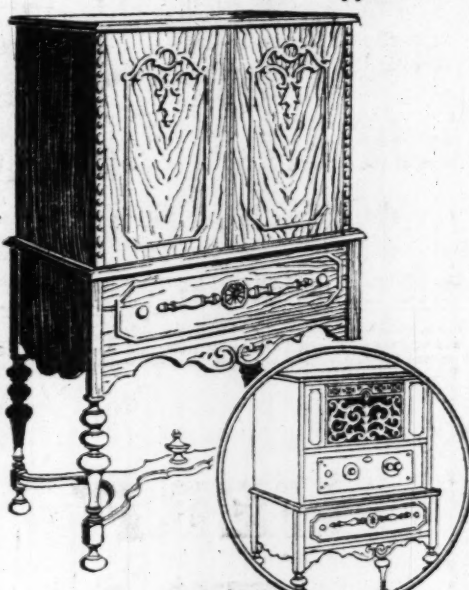
A DELICIOUS box, including milk and dark chocolates, wrapped caramels and bonbons. Pound, **50c**

95c for 2 pounds.

Vandervoort's Candy Shop—First Floor.

Your Christmas Radio

Should Be Distinctive in Appearance, as Well
as Efficient in Performance



This Cabinet

With RCA Radiola

Electrified—Installed

Model 16—\$188.45—Less Speaker

Model 17—\$222.50—Less Speaker

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Model 33—\$193.95—Less Speaker

Model 36—\$217.50—Less Speaker

All Sets Operate Direct From Your Light Socket

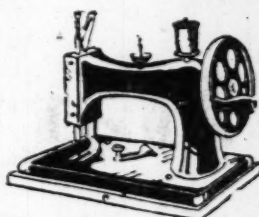
Small Charge for Installation

Radio Shop—Sixth Floor.

Santa Claus Says—

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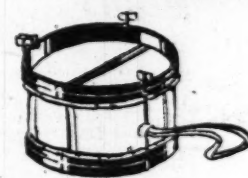
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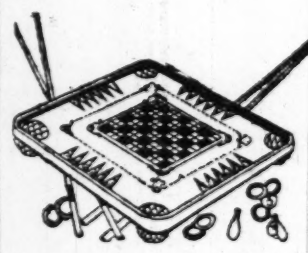
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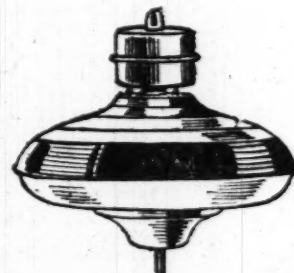
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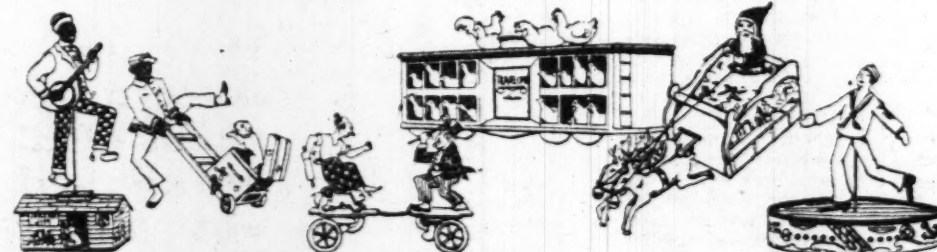
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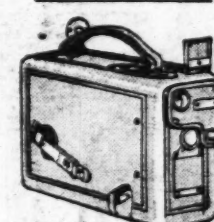
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Vandervoort's Stationery Shop
—First Floor.

7 More
ing Days
Christmas

New Cairo Washed Away.
The Associated Press.
ALBANY, Ill., Dec. 16.—Softened
the heavy rains of the last few

days: a section of the new levee
near Reynoldsville, in Union Coun-
ty, Ill., has washed away. Reyn-
oldsville is on the Mississippi north

of Cairo. The Ohio River here
has risen eight-tenths of a foot in
the last 24 hours to reach a stage
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Add to outfit
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We are showing a large selection
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COOLIDGE REFUSED TO SEE HEARST'S PLOT DOCUMENTS

Kellogg Also Declined to
Scan Papers in Alleged
Mexican Effort to Bribe
U. S. Senators.

SEAL USED NOT HIS,
ELIAS TESTIFIES

Page, the Correspondent
Who Dug Up "The Pa-
pers," Tells of Bribery of
Mexican Clerks.

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-
Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Re-
gardless of a hectic day yesterday,
the special Senate committee in-
vestigating the charges printed in
Hearst newspapers of a Mexican
fund of \$1,215,000 for United
States Senators plunged into a
night session, at which it heard how
the "documents" were offered to
President Coolidge and Secretary
of State Kellogg last summer, and
how those officials refused to read
them.

Consul-General Arturo Elias at
New York also completed his tes-
timony, and the committee heard
the story of the documents from
John Page, Hearst's International
News Service correspondent at
Mexico City, who wrote the of-
fending articles.

During the examination of Page,
Senator Robinson (Dem.), Arkan-
sas, pointed out that a number of
the typewritten "documents" ap-
parently had been "doctored" with
a pen in order to give certain let-
ters the proper Spanish accents.
Page would not agree that a pen
had been used on them.

Edward H. Clark, manager of
large Hearst investments, recalled
how he took the documents to
President Coolidge at Black Hills,
South Dakota, last summer. When
he started to tell the President
what was in the documents, Mr.
Coolidge said: "Just a minute—I
don't know that I should listen to
what you have to say."

They talked a while, Clark said,
and finally the President conclud-
ed: "I think it better that I don't
see those papers."

Elias Examines Papers.
Elias examined the papers in the
presence of the committee last
night. He said the official stamp
appearing on documents supposed
to have been received at his of-
fice, was different from the stamp
used there. He added that tele-
grams in code represented as hav-
ing been sent and received by him,
were not in his office code, and
that he did not recognize it.

Reed showed him a copy of a
supposed telegram sent from the
Mexican foreign office, requesting
to know from Elias whether the
new Ambassador, Dwight Morrow,
had any connection with petrol-
eum companies. Elias said he
never received such a message.

There were a large number of
"documents" signed with the name
of President Calles, who is Elias's
half-brother. Elias said some of
these signatures looked like Calles',
and others did not. He pointed
out that the signatures were not all
alike.

Asked about "Mexican propa-
ganda" in this country, Elias said
the Mexican Department of In-
dustry and Commerce paid two
men, Joss Kelly and Robert Haber-
man, \$600 a month as salary and
expenses to deliver lectures in the
United States on Commercial con-
ditions in Mexico. That was all.

Correspondent's Testimony.
Page, a large, shuffling, red-
headed man of about 46, said he
had been the Mexico City corre-
spondent of Hearst's International
News Service, an afternoon press
association, since April of last
year. He heard there were docu-
ments in the Mexican official ar-
chives, indicating that money had
been paid to American Senators.
He employed Miguel Avila, whom
he knew, to get the papers.

Avila bribed a clerk in the office
of the Comptroller-General with
\$3000, and got a batch of docu-
ments, he said. Page and an
American friend of Hearst, whose
name was kept a secret through-
out the testimony, on the theory
that his property interests in Mex-
ico might suffer if it became
known, took the documents to the
then Ambassador Sheffield.

"He was astonished," said
Page, "he couldn't believe that
three Senators had received \$1-
200,000. Although there was an
order for that amount to be paid
them. On the other hand, he could
see nothing in the documents to in-
dicate that they were not genuine.
On his advice, however, we took
them to Mr. Schoonfield, the em-
bassy counselor. He also pro-
nounced them genuine."

On the strength of that "ver-
dict," as Page called it, the papers
were taken to New York and
shown to Hearst. He was told
that the Mexican clerk and an-
other clerk were ready to deliver
still other documents at San An-
tonio—for a consideration. Hearst
told them to get them. Avila met
the clerks, and for an additional
\$12,000 got another batch, one of
which was "the draft of a secret
treaty between Mexico and Japan."

Another was an order to pay \$100-
000 to the Brazilian arbiter, who
is the neutral member of the
American-Mexican Mixed Claims
Commission.
Still later, according to Page,
Avila obtained additional "docu-
ments" from a clerk in the Mex-
ican consulate in New York, to
whom he paid \$3500.
(In one of the editorial fore-

words appearing in the Hearst
series, it was stated that the docu-
ments were brought to the Hearst
papers by patriotic Mexican offi-
cials, who were "eager to save
their country from bolshevism.")
Errors in Documents.
Page admitted under examina-
tion that he found many errors in
the "documents," but that was not
uncommon in Mexican official doc-

uments, he said, because "it was
Calles' policy to recruit his em-
ployees from among the laboring
classes."
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Locust at Tenth

Jewelry for 75 Years

COOLIDGE REFUSED TO SEE HEARST'S PLOT DOCUMENTS

Continued From Preceding Page.

classes, who were faithful to him." Page said he brought the documents to Washington last August, and submitted them to Secretary Kellogg. That official, he said, read two or three lines of the first one, and then handed it back saying: "I can't read these documents—I mustn't read them."

It was developed that Page's colleague at Mexico City was George Hinman, correspondent of Hearst's Universal Service, a morning press association. Although he said they co-operated fully, Hinman was not told anything about the documents, and never knew anything about them.

"I call your attention to the fact," intervened Robinson, "that the Spanish accents over many of the letters in these documents appear to have been made with a pen. Did you notice that?" Page looked at one of them.

"I don't think those were made with a pen," he said.

"Well, look at this one—just it perfectly plain that these were put in with a pen." Page studied it a while. "Well, maybe, but I don't think so," he persisted.

"Well, look and see if it isn't a fact that the accents appear to be in ink of a different color from that of the letters?" Robinson persisted. But he could not get Page to agree with him. It has been elicited previously that on typewriters built for the Spanish language, the accents are built into the type.

Fighting in Cyrenaica.

By the Associated Press.

BENGASI, Cyrenaica, Dec. 16.—

Four colonial soldiers were killed and 12 wounded in beating off tribesmen who attacked a motor convoy relief column on the way from Barce to Gerdes el Abid. The disidents suffered seven killed and a number wounded. A small band of irregulars engaged in cattle running in the Central Djebel region was driven off with the loss of three men, with none on the Italian side.

CENTRAL SCIENTIFIC COLLEGE OFFICERS INDICTED FOR FRAUD

Eight in Various Cities Accused; Head of Organization Also Under Similar Charge.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Eight officers of the Central Scientific College of Fargo, N. D., incorporated in Washington, were indicted by the Federal grand jury here today for conspiracy to use the mails to defraud.

The college is said to be one of several similar institutions incorporated by Gilbert Patton Brown, recently indicted for a similar conspiracy. The indictments mentioned as overt acts the mailing of five letters to Miss Helen Hurley of this city. Those indicted are: Ben Martin, Superintendent of Schools at Dearing, N. D.; Otis Briggs, president of the Central Scientific College, Indianapolis, Ind.; C. H. Gansola, head master of the college, Indianapolis; Irene Conley, principal of the college, Minneapolis, Minn.; W. H. Ames, a director of the college, Harrisburg, Pa.; Dr. O. L. Betty, a professor of the college, address unknown; A. A. Galbreath, former State Senator of Ohio and conductor of the Carnegie College, at Rogers, Okla.; also known as a professor of the Fargo college; Jerome L. Gibe, a director of the college, Bridgton, N. J., and formerly of South Haven, Mich.

SALESMAN DIES IN HIS OFFICE

August Rohman, sales manager of a firm at 601 Buder Building, died suddenly in his office yesterday, soon after returning from a visit to a physician. Rohman had complained during the afternoon of pains in his chest. He fell to the floor while talking with Mrs. Emily Finninger, an employee in his office. Rohman lived at 2631 Keokuk street. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Anna Rohman.

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Ceremony at National Capitol Marks Restoring of Civil War Colors.

By the Associated Press.

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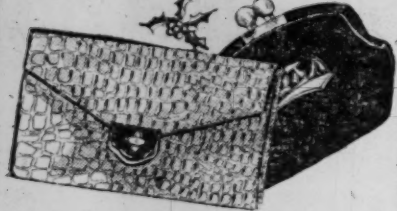
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In sizes 6 to 14 years. A charming selec-
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Made of the cele-
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MAINE RETURNS FLAGS TO SOUTHERN STATES

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Maine veterans, said in officially
 returning the flags in behalf of
 the veterans, that they represent
 the sentiment of all the people of
 the Pine Tree State.

The flags were received by Sen-
 ator Overman and Capt. S. S. Ash
 for North Carolina; Gen. Freeman
 and Gen. Homer Atkinson, com-
 mander of the Virginia United Con-
 federate Veterans, for Virginia,
 and Senator Shephard for Texas.
 Rejoicing in the fact that, 60
 years after the Civil War, the bit-
 terness between the North and
 the South is gone, Senator Over-
 man declared that the fact was
 demonstrated fully during the
 Spanish-American War and World
 War.

BANKER'S DAUGHTER KIDNAPED
 Lured From Los Angeles School by
 Story Father Had Been Hurt.

By the Associated Press.
 LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 16.—
 Nearly 200 Los Angeles detectives
 aided by police officers throughout
 Southern California, were enlisted
 today in a search for Marion
 Parker, 12 years old, who was kid-
 napped from the Mount Vernon Ju-
 nior high school grounds here at
 noon yesterday. The girl was tak-
 en from the school grounds by a
 man about 30 years of age, who
 told her that her father had been
 hurt. A school officer, hearing the
 story, permitted the girl to leave
 with the man in a small coupe.
 The girl's father, Perry Parker,
 is assistant cashier of the Los An-
 geles First National Trust and Sav-
 ings Bank.

NEW FORDS TO AID BUSINESS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The
 resumption of production of Ford
 automobiles, Secretary Hoover to-
 day said, promises to benefit the
 business situation of the entire
 country.

"It should have good effects on

employment generally, both direct
 and indirect," he asserted. "It is
 a matter of satisfaction not only to
 Ford buyers, but to all people who
 want to see employment conditions
 satisfactory in the United States.
 I believe that is the feeling even
 among Ford's competitors in the
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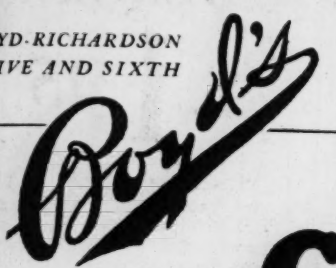
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 Two-Piece Suits. Jersey Sweater and Pants to match \$8.00

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Imported Tweeds and Herringbones; tans, browns,
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Tans... grays... blues... and mixtures... Sizes 32 to
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Black Horsehide, Sheep lined... \$30.00
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\$16.50 to \$50.00

Distinctive overcoats for boys from 3 to 20 years.
 Single and double breasted models with Raglan and
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Linen Kerchiefs, Box of 6. \$1.50

Neckwear, Stripes and figures

Priced at... \$1.00 to \$1.50

Woolen Gloves... \$1 and \$1.50

Leather Gloves \$1.50 to \$3.50

Boy's Golf Hose, Cotton and

woolen... \$1 to \$6.50

Boy's Shirts, Oxfords and

Broadoths... \$1.50 to \$4

Boy's Pajamas \$1.50 to \$5.00

Belt Sets, Initialed... \$3.50

Others \$1 to \$2

Bedroom Slippers, Colored

Leathers... Priced at... \$3.00

Mufflers, Scotch Wools and Silk

Squares... \$2 and \$3.50

Caps, 8-piece, including French

Berets. Priced at... \$2 to \$3.50

Hats, Tan and Gray Felts... \$5

Sweaters, fancy Jacquards and

plain colors... \$5.00 to \$8.00

Junior Oxfords, Imported Scotch

Shoes... \$6.50 and \$7.50

Terry Bath Robes... \$6.50

Flannel Bath Robes... Priced

from... \$8.50 to \$16.50

Sweater Sets, Sweaters and

Socks to Match... \$11.50

Leather Jackets, Knitted and

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Riding Breeches, English Whip-

cord and Chamois Saddle Patch

Priced at... \$15.00

Canvas Coats, Sheep Lined \$15

Golf Sets, Tweed Jacket and

Knickers to Match... \$16.50

Silk Dressing Gowns... \$20.00



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SUBWAY STORE

No Charge Accounts ~ Downstairs ~ No Deliveries

The Subway is a Store of Gifts For Men

**\$1.50
 Hosiery
 95c**

Fancy pattern wools. Full
 fashioned. Slight seconds.

**\$1.00 and \$1.25
 Hosiery
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Fancy patterns in wools
 and silk mixtures. Black
 and solid color full fash-
 ioned silks. Slight seconds.

**75c and 85c
 Hosiery
 45c**

Mock seam silks in black,
 and solid colors. Fancy pat-
 terns in rayon silk and
 wool mixtures. Slight
 seconds.

**\$1.50 and \$2.00
 Neckwear
 95c**

Darkbrook Mogadores, reps.
 satins and other good
 silks. All are wool lined,
 many are hand made.

**\$1.00 and \$1.50
 Neckwear
 65c**

New patterns of mog-
 adores, satins and other
 silks. Stripes and figures.

**75c and \$1.00
 Neckwear
 45c**

Extra quality knit neck-
 wear. Broken lots of silk
 neckwear. Some seconds.

Pajamas

New samples of a well-
 known make. Collar at-
 tached, pullover and mil-
 itary color styles.

**\$2.50 and \$3.00 quali-
 ties... \$1.65**

**\$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00
 qualities... \$1.95**

**\$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00
 qualities... \$2.95**

\$8.00 qualities... \$3.95

**\$10, \$12 and \$15 quali-
 ties... Half Price**

Sizes B and C

\$4.00

Mufflers

\$2.15

Large silk squares. New
 patterns, whites and colors.
 Some are seconds.

The Subway is replete with the largest
 assortment of practical gifts for men we
 have ever assembled. It is well to
 remember that the gift selected in the
 Subway represents extra value and
 always reflects its extra worth. Excep-
 tional facilities enable women to shop
 without effort as well as economically
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**\$7.50 Silk Shirts
 \$5.95**

Radium Silks in white tan and blue. Collar to
 match styles.

\$4.50 & \$5.00

SHIRTS

\$2.45

Two-ply broadcloths in plain white and self-
 figures... Neckband and collar attached.

\$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00

Shirts

\$1.95

2x1 white English broad-
 cloths. Extra quality dimity
 cords and madras in neat
 patterns. Large selection of
 collar attached and collars
 to match styles.

\$2.50 and \$3.00

Shirts

\$1.65

Fine weave white and blue
 English Broadcloths and
 white Alpha oxfords. Pat-
 tern effects in madras and
 broadcloths... Neckband,
 collar to match and collar
 attached styles.

\$35 \$40 \$45 \$29

OVERCOATS \$29

A special purchase of unusual values... all
 styles... new patterns.

\$40.00 TWO TROUSER SUITS \$29

Good wearing fabrics... the latest styles.

\$2.50, \$3, \$3.50

Mufflers

\$1.85

Fine crepe reefer, printed
 and embroidered patterns.
 Some are seconds.

Regularly \$3.50

Gloves

\$2.45

Buckskin gloves, well made
 and good fitting. Embroi-
 dered backs.

**\$6.50
 Robes \$4.95**

Well made blanket and
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\$2.50

Belt Set \$150

Stitched and lined belts of
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35c

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20c

Box of Six \$1

Whites and colored woven

patterns, white and colored

initials.

\$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00

Mufflers

\$2.95

Heavy weight crepe silk

squares in many colors and

patterns. Embroidered and

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included, some are seconds.

\$2.50 and \$3.00

Gloves

\$1.95

Gray, tan and fawn colored

imported cape gloves. Well

made and good fitting. Ex-
 ceptional values, right at
 the beginning of the season.

\$6.50, \$7.50 and \$9.00

Sweaters

\$4.95

Knitted sport coats in gray

and brown. Pullovers and

coats in fancy patterns. All

sizes.

\$3.00

Knap Lighters

\$1.65

A lighter that works, at an

unusually low price.

\$3.00

Miscellaneous

Gift Items

House Slippers... \$1.50

House Slippers... \$2.75

Golf Hose... \$1.15

Silk Handkerchiefs... \$1.20

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Pullover Sweaters... \$3.95

"Give Her Something She Can Wear"

Ask for Miss Gee

She will be pleased to assist you in solving any perplexing gift problem. She is stationed on the First Floor.

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Gay Forerunners of 1928

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(H. Hat Shop—Second Floor.)

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The Season's Smartest Flower

Included are domestic and imported confections; charming for gifts.

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Last Day of This Sale of 42-Gauge Silk-Top Chiffon Hose

With French Picot Tops

\$1.79

Three Pairs in Dainty Gift Box, \$5

PERFECT, full-fashioned Hose, made of sheer, lustrous Japan silk from top to toe (silk tops and soles) that would please any woman on Christmas morn. These Hose would sell regularly for a great deal more than Saturday's special price of \$1.79.

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Who Wouldn't Like One of These Smart, New Bags

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Antelope Moire Calf Patent and Grained Leathers

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So light, so warm so becoming—Robes of black and colored satins—they make a gift acceptable to a woman of any age.

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\$3.50

Black satin Mules with colored lining. Hand-turned soles.

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Coty's striped silver finished double compact.

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Cigaret Boxes in gay colors
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Made of rayon in pastel hues.

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Dainty little garments that delight young femininity. Made of excellent quality crepe de chine with frilly Georgette ruffles, lace medallions, lace cuffs, or Georgette petals. In a wide selection of delicate pastel shades to go with holiday dance frocks. Sizes for misses or women.

Plain tailored bloomers, \$1.95 to \$3.95.

Lingerie Section—Third Floor

Elastic Step-Ins

For Misses and Juniors... \$3



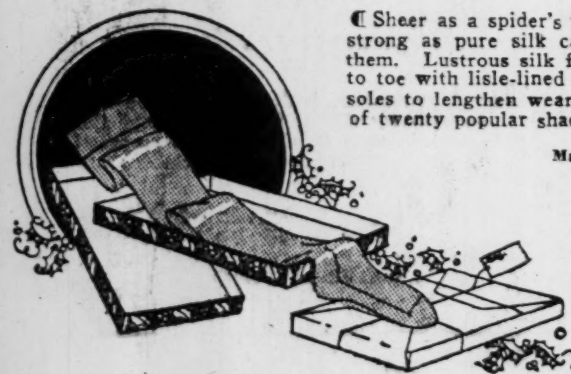
Decidedly "gitty" as well as useful are these dainty Nemo-flex elastic Step-ins so popular with young misses and slender women. They are so easy to pull on... with no boning or fasteners and they hold the figure in the proper lines with glove-like smoothness.

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Famous-Barr Co. Confections Will Please the Most Particular for They
Are the Best That Pure Materials and Skilled Candy-Makers Can Produce!Imported French
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1/4 to 5 Lb. Sizes at

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Boxes of unusual charm... and individuality... beautifully trimmed... and packed with a choice assortment of our delicious confections!

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An attractive 3-lb. tin box... filled with Par Excellent, and Milk Chocolates, Bonbons, Pecan Croquettes and Crystalized fruit... \$2.50 for

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The choice of fastidious candy eaters! Delicious centers... in assorted kinds... with deep coatings of rich... creamy chocolate... in 1 to 5 pound boxes... \$1.00

Assorted Milk
Chocolates

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Perfectly delicious! Centers of creams, cocoanut, butter-scotch, caramel, nougat, chips, nuts and fruits... in 1 to 5 lb. boxes!

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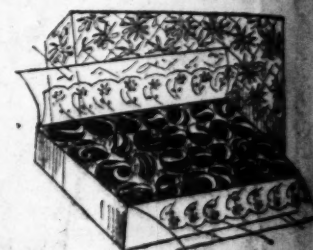
A tantalizing assortment of selected favorites... in a very decorative tin box... Others in three-pound tins at \$2.00 and 5-pound tins at \$3.25.

Three-Pound Special

Gay tin boxes, filled with milk and dark chocolates, crystallized fruits, caramels and nougats... offered

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French Dolls! ♦ Interestingly Varied Choice at

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Charming Pajama Girl and French Flapper Dolls—the kind that girls and women never outgrow—lamps that radiate Christmas cheer and hospitality, quaint tapestries and other things that beautify and enliven the home.

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Imported... in a new... and smart assortment... with fancy legs, and fancy tops! In tan, gray, blue and heliotrope mixtures... \$1.85

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Imported and domestic... all hand-made, in a large assortment of smart patterns and colors. All wool lined. Other Neckwear, \$1.00 to \$5.00

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The very popular tan pigskin gloves so popular with men and young men... in all regular sizes.

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For boys and girls... with full tubular frame... coaster brake, ball-bearing wheels, mudguards and adjustable seat... \$16.88

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Of sturdy steel, with rubber-tired disc wheels... and perfect dumping mechanism... gaily painted in black... and vivid red... \$3.98

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In easel style... with revolving chart... an ideal educational toy for boys and girls... offered at... \$2.19

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Well made of finely woven fiber... with adjustable hood and reclining back... rubber-tired wheels... nicely finished... \$6.75

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69c

\$5.95 Bubbles 'Baby

With composition head and legs, moving eyes, dressed in a dainty lace-trimmed white dress... with cap, shoes and stockings... \$4.88

\$9.60 Automobiles

Juvenile automobiles equipped with windshield, bumper, rubber-tired wheels... gaily enameled in two models. An ideal pull toy, at... \$5.95

Take the newly installed 6th and Locust Escalator Direct to Toyland—Basement Gallery.



Women's Brassiere

Special
at 75c

Uplift and form-fitting styles in crepe de chine, jersey silk, rayon-and-ribbed and broche. Plain and lace trimmed. Good range of sizes.

Basement Economy Store

Choose

Impressive Gift

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Usual

\$3.95 K



Hundreds of time when the For home, or select wool Oxford shade

Men's Blue corduroy or an exceptionally Sensible gift.

\$1.95 and \$2.50

Shirts

Men's woven madras, English broadcloth, fiber-filled broadcloth and Jacquard effect Shirts. White and colors. Sizes 14 to 17... \$1.65

\$2.50 W

Lined G

Men's cape at hide Gloves, wool lined, strap and snap styles...

Give These S



Saturday, 11 a.m. at 11 a.m. Men's Slippers Women's Slippers with or without rib Children's Boots padded

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For Misses Juniors and Women...



Over 100 choose from styles, with sleeves, hemmings. Fast Georgette in popular high street or dress

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Special Saturday

Advance Frocks misses and women crepe satin, flat proved high shade

Women's Shoes

Offered at, Pair

\$3.95

Patent Leather Pumps and one-strap Slippers with Louis or Cuban heels. Very smart for dress wear and most unusual at this price. All sizes. Basement Economy Store

Boys' Scho

Splendid Gifts...



Three-piece S materials in single Checks, plaids and dark colors. Ea pants and vest.

Novelty Suits

Sensible Gifts... \$1.95 Boys' Novelty with brightly colored tops and fully knitted pants. A complete outfit for the fellow's gift. Size to 8 years.

Misses' Silk Slips

Of very heavy pastel-tinted crepe-de-chine... with bodice top... trimmed with lace and embroidery... and dainty insertion! Also in severely simple plain styles for tailored Frocks! Hems double to the hip... in sizes 14 to 18.

\$2.95

\$3.95

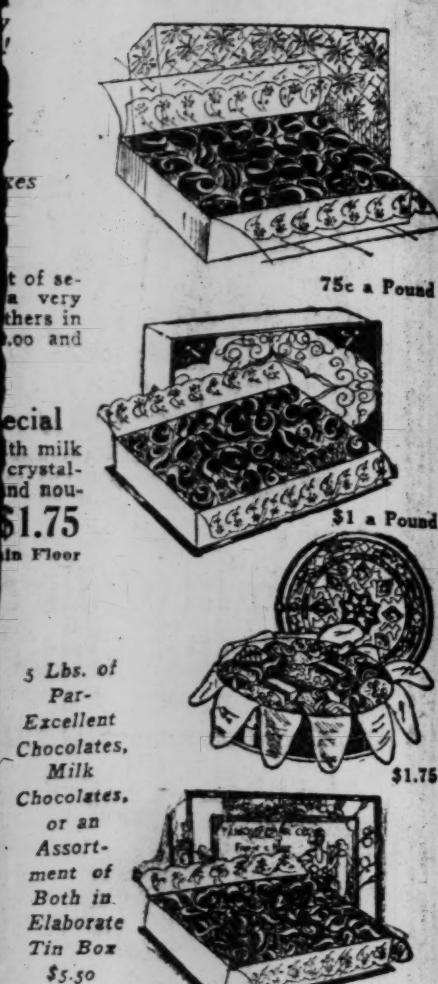
Rayon Shorties or Bloomers... Pastel Shades... \$1.80

Slip Section—Third Floor



Offers the Most
Satisfying—Sixth Floor

Candies



Saturday's Special

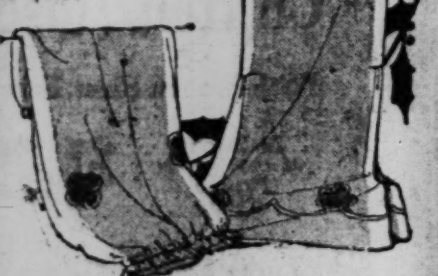
In a Special
Holiday Box,
2½ lbs. at **79c**
Unusual indeed is such an assortment of
favorites...at so moderate a price!
Peanut crisp wrapped molasses taffy
and assorted hard-candies...take a box
home for the week-end!
Candies Shipped Everywhere
Candy Section—Main Floor

Fur Coats



Glove Silk Wear

Giving—Select From Them Saturday
To \$2.50
To \$3.95
To \$4.50
To \$4.95
To \$7.95
To \$3.50



Slips' Silk Slips

Pastel-tinted crepe-de-chine
...trimmed with lace and
dainty insertion! Also in
plain styles for tailored
double to the hip...in sizes
\$2.95
\$3.95

or Bloomers...Pastel Shades...\$1.50
Slip Section—Third Floor

Women's Brassieres

Special
at **75c**

Uplift and form-fitting styles in crepe
de-chine, jersey silk, rayon-and-ribbon,
and broche. Plain and lace trimmed.
Good range of sizes.
Basement Economy Store



Use the New 6th and Locust St. Escalator Direct to Basement Economy Store.

FAMOUS-BARR CO.

BASEMENT ECONOMY STORE NEWS

We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps



Knitted Caps

Special
at, Each **50c**

Snug-fitting Wool Caps, in sizes for
boys and girls. Ideal for school and
sports wear, and very acceptable as gifts.
Wide choice of colors.
Basement Economy Store

Choose Gifts Saturday in the Basement Economy Store

Impressive Gifts for Men

Sports Coats

Usual **\$2.95**
\$3.95 Kind



Hundreds of them! Offered just at a
time when they will be wanted most...
For home, office or sports wear... Of
select wool yarn, in brown beaver and
Oxford shades. Sizes 36 to 46.

Men's Sheep-Lined Coats

Blue corduroy or khaki moleskin Coats lined with
an exceptionally high quality sheep pelt.
Sensible gifts. Sizes 36 to 46... **\$9.95**

\$1.95 and \$2.50
Shirts

Men's woven madras,
English broadcloth, fiber-
filled broadcloth and
Jacquard effect
Shirts; white and col-
ors. Sizes
14 to 17... **\$1.65**

\$2.50 Wool- Lined Gloves

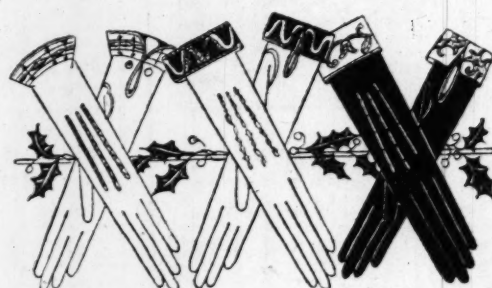
Men's cape and horse-
hide Gloves, angora
wool lined, in wrist,
strap and
snap styles... **\$1.95**

Men's Corduroy Trousers

Corduroy Trousers in
blue or mole shade,
neatly and strongly
made with cuff bot-
toms and
belt loops... **\$2.79**

Women's Kid Gloves

\$2.50 to \$3.98 **\$1.95** Limited
Kinds, Pair... Quantity



Splendid quality, imported Kid Gloves, of
the soft pliable kind that fit so neatly and
wear so well. In popular novelty cuff effects
with pique or oversewn seams. Good range
of wanted sizes and a wide choice of popular
costume shades including black.

\$3.98 Canteens

Handy little cases, strongly made,
with lock and key. Nicely fitted.
Many novelty styles. Ideal Christ-
mas gifts.
Special at **\$2.98**

Men's 'Kerchiefs

Large size. Of soft finished cam-
bric with hemstitched hems and
neatly embroidered initials in the
corner. Regularly 6 for \$1.25. 6,
nicely boxed
for **79c**

\$2.98 Handbags

Genuine leather purses in a variety
of pouch, under-arm and novelty
styles. Neatly lined and fitted
with mirrors. Various
colors. Each **\$1.95**

Women's 'Kerchiefs

Nicely made of good quality sheer
cambric in white and colors. Cor-
ners are prettily embroidered or
finished in novelty effects. 3 in
a gift
box for **39c**

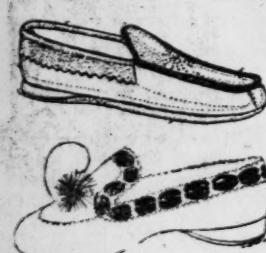
Women's Umbrellas

\$5.98 value. Of pure rainproof silk,
mounted on 16-rib paragon steel
frames with pretty novelty han-
dles. A very useful
gift **\$3.98**

88c Fabric Gloves

Imported washable Gloves in soft
chamois-suede finish and popular
colors. With embroidered novelty
short cuffs. Good range
of sizes. Pair **69c**

Give These Slippers



Saturday
at, Pair... **50c**

Men's gray and black Felt
Slippers with soft soles.
Women's felt Moccasins
with soft soles. Trimmed
with ribbon or pompons.

Children's Felt Slippers and
Boots with soft soles and
padded heels. Pair... **65c**

Pillows for Gifts

\$1.95 to \$2.95

Made of Newell and Rayon in col-
ors that give a cheerful touch of
brightness to the room. Finished with
dainty puffs and rows of shirring.

\$1.95 Cap and Scarf Sets offered
at **\$1.65**



Brushed Sweater Sets

Regularly **\$5.00** **\$3.95**

Very smart and Oh, so snug and
warm are these cunning little sets
consisting of Sweater, Cap, Leggings
and Mittens. Coat, slip-on or side-
button styles in various colors. Sizes
24 to 28.

All-wool Slip-on Sport Sweaters
in novelty weaves for children **\$1.95**



Women's Hosiery

\$1.50 to \$1.75 **\$1.25**

Full fashioned of pure thread silk with
lisle tops and reinforced feet. In black
and a wide range of costume shades. It's
economy to buy two pairs alike.

Men's 50c to 59c Fancy Half Hose;
sizes 10 to 11½, pr., 35c; 3 pairs, \$1



An Attractive Showing of DRESSES

For Misses,
Juniors and
Women... **\$9.75**



Over 100 different models to
choose from! All of them in advance
styles, with delightful variations in
sleeves, hemlines, necklines and trim-
mings. Fashioned of flat crepe or
Georgette in black, navy and the
popular high shades. Suitable for
street or dress wear.

Attractive Frocks

Special
Saturday... **\$15.75**

Advance Frocks in a wide choice of styles for
misses and women. Fashioned of printed satin,
crepe satin, flat crepe and Georgette. In ap-
proved high shades as well as navy and black.



Maybilt Clothes

Supply Your Clothes **\$21.50**
Needs From This
Noted Line

"Maybilt"—the sign of clothes satisfaction for hundreds
of men...you, too, may secure the benefits that Maybilt
clothes bring and enjoy the privilege of obtaining high value
without extravagance. Sizes 34 to 50.

The Suits: Well-tailored Suits
in semi-English or conservative
styles in select fabrics of light
or dark colors. Extra trousers,
\$5.50.

The Topcoats: Tweeds and cas-
simeres in smart patterns and
styles of select fabrics in light
or dark colors.

Men's \$1 Silk
Ties **69c**
Beautiful heavy silk
four-in-hand Ties,
wool lined for neat-
ness. Acceptable
gifts.

Blanket Cloth
Robes **\$4.95**
A wide range of new
pleasing patterns
with shawl collars
and silk braiding.

Men's Fancy
Vests **\$3.95**
Knitted wool Vests
in light and dark col-
ors and pleasing com-
binations.

Smart Coats

Very
Exceptional
Quality at **\$36.75**

Those who have waited until late in
the season to buy their Winter Coats will
be gratified to find such a splendid
assortment to choose from. All late mod-
els, fashioned of broadcloth, venise, new
zealia, duvbloom, estrella and other fab-
rics, and nicely fur trimmed.

Trench Coats

For Women
and Misses... **\$6.75**

Neatly made of suede-lined leatherette in
black, blue, green, red, tan or brown. Splendid
protection against wind or rain, they will be
much appreciated as gifts.



Women's Shoes

Offered at, Pair
\$3.95

Patent Leather Pumps and one-strap
Slippers with Louis or Cuban heels.
Very smart for dress wear and most
musical at this price. All sizes.

Storm Gaiters

For Women
\$2.95

Fancy cloth
Gaiters in beige or
tan. Neat and com-
fortable for cold
weather wear. Com-
plete range of sizes.

Victor Caps

For Men and Boys
\$1.49

Knitted Caps that
make first-rate
gifts for those who
are in the open in
cold weather. Each
Cap with muffer
attached. Various
colors.

Rayon Bloomers

Saturday at
\$1.00

Well made with
double gussets and
strong elastic at
waist and knees.
Light shades only.
In sizes 36 to 42.

Rayon Underwear

\$1.25

Bodice-top
Chemises with
self shoulder
straps. Full cut
Bloomers in reg-
ular and extra
sizes.

Plaid Blankets

Regularly \$4.50 Pair
\$3.77

Useful gifts are
these soft, warm
66x80-inch Blankets,
woven of wool and
cotton. In block plaids
of rose, blue, gold,
tan and orchid. Bound
with cotton sateen.

Boys' School Suits

Splendid
Gifts... **\$9.75**

Three-piece Suits, tailored of all wool ma-
terials in single and double breasted styles...
Checks, plaids and fancy mixtures in light and
dark colors. Each with pair of long or short
pants and vest. Sizes 7 to 20 years.

Novelty Suits
Sensible
Gifts... **\$1.95**

Boys' Novelty Suits
with brightly colored
tops and fully lined
knitted pants. A com-
plete outfit for the little
fellow's gift. Sizes 3
to 8 years.

Xmas Candy

3 Lbs. **\$1**
Assorted milk chocolates,
wrapped layer caramels,
wrapped nougat and pecan
croquettes.



Men's Shoes

Many
Lasts **\$3.95**
High and Low Shoes in
broad, round or straight lasts;
tan and gunmetal leathers.
Goodyear welt soles. Sizes
6 to 11.

Black Walnut Cake

Regularly **75c** **60c**
Three layers of fluffy white cake
filled with delicious marshmallow filling,
thickly sprinkled with fresh black wal-
nuts.

25c Caramel Rolls... 20c
35c Raisin Pound Cake, 25c

Junior Lamps

Regularly **\$10**
Complete for
\$7.95

Heavy all-metal
bases with grace-
fully designed
standards; also
hand-turned wood
bases. The shades
of Georgette in a
number of styles
and glowing colors.
Plug and silk cord
included.

Chiffons

\$1.98 to \$2.98 **\$1.59**
Kinds. Yard.

54-inch printed chiffons
and 40-inch georgettes in a
variety of charming patterns
for dresses, scarfs, etc.

Rayon Spreads

Special
at **\$6.95**

66x108-inch size. Woven
of Rayon and Egyptian cot-
ton in rose, gold, blue or or-
chid. Pretty holly box with
each spread.

Girls' Coats

Regularly **\$16.50 to \$19.50** **\$13.75**

Warm Winter Coats of Bolivia, suede,
velour and sports fabrics, suitable for all-
occasion wear. All fur-trimmed, some with
popular shawl collars. Sizes 10 to 16 years.

\$5.95 to \$6.95 Dresses
Of Georgette, silk crepe,
wool crepe and velvet, for
school or dress wear
Sizes 7 to
14 years **\$5**

Girls' \$12.50 Coats
Dress and sport styles.
Of Bolivia, suede cloth
or sport fabrics. Fur-
trimmed. Sizes
7 to 16 **\$8.75**

Girls' Rain Sets
Of rubberized fabric in
red, green, blue or plaid.
Some include school-bag,
caps and balls. Fur-
trimmed. Sizes 7 to 14... **\$3.95**

Girls' Rain Sets
Heavy suede-lined
Trench Coats with hats
to match. Nicely boxed.
Sizes 7 to 16 years... **\$5.75**



YOUTHS, TRANSFERRED, GO TO REFORMATORY

State Sends 10 More Young Convicts From Penitentiary by Order of Governor.

By the Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 15.—Transfer of 10 more young convicts from the State penitentiary to the Boys' Reformatory at Booneville, in the State Penal Board's experiment in reformation of first offenders, was ordered yesterday by Gov. Baker, effective today.

The first group of 10 was transferred to the reformatory Dec. 6 and it is the intention of the Board to send approximately 100 to Booneville. The system calls for selection of young first termers, who have no previous police records, and whose conduct in the penitentiary has been good.

Members of the Board believe there will be more opportunity to reform these convicts by keeping them at the reformatory than in the penitentiary in contact with older and more hardened criminals. The period of reformation in most instances will be comparatively short, as the sentences of most of the young convicts transferred were commuted to one year in the reformatory, irrespective of the length of the sentence for which they were sent to the penitentiary. They will have an opportunity to reduce their sentences further under the merit system at the reformatory.

As was the case with the first group, the convicts transferred came to the penitentiary from rural sections of the State, and their ages average about 18 years. All but two of them were received at the prison within the last eight months.

These ordered transferred today and the sentences for which they were sent to the penitentiary are: William T. McWorrey, St. Francois County, five years for grand larceny; Lee Spencer, Scotland County, two years for larceny; John B. Muller, Phelps County, two years for larceny; Jack Fox, Jackson County, two years for grand larceny; Kenneth Price, Lewis County, three years for arson; Clarence Binson, New Madrid, two years for stealing chickens; Delbert Rogers, Scotland County, two years for transporting stolen property; Stanley Chisworth, Pemiscot County, two years for burglary; Hadley Walsh, Negro, Warren County, two years for stealing chickens; Artemus Martin, Negro, Lawrence County, two years for robbery.

ARBITRATOR ORDERS 8-HOUR DAY IN GERMAN STEEL MILLS

Rules Against General Wage Increase; Workers and Employers Must Decide by Monday.

DUESSELDORF, Germany, Dec. 15.—Introduction of the eight-hour day in the German steel industry during the next year with no all-round wage increase at present are the two main points in a decision announced for settlement of the tie-up in the iron and steel industry.

Negotiations between representatives of the employers and the trade unions ended yesterday and Dr. Heinrich Brauns, Minister of Labor, who acted as official arbitrator, announced his decision, to which both sides must reply by Monday.

Regarding working hours, the arbitrator insisted on the introduction of the eight-hour day and three shifts in the Thomas Steel Works by Jan. 1. Excuses were granted provisionally, but all steel works must arrange to introduce the eight-hour day during the coming year.

FORMER POLICEMAN ARRESTED ON WORTHLESS CHECK CHARGE

John R. Mills Accused of Drawing \$500 Papers on \$1 Account to Pay Off Auto.

John R. Mills, a former policeman, was arrested yesterday on a charge of giving worthless checks, following complaint by George J. Lake, office manager of the South Side Buick Automobile Co.

Police were told Mills, who had applied for a job as a salesman with the agency, had given two checks for \$500 as down payment on a coupe he was going to use as a demonstrator and had signed notes for the balance. The checks were returned, officials of the agency said, marked "insufficient funds." Investigation at the bank on which they were drawn showed Mills had \$1 on deposit, Lake said.

Mills, arrested while driving the coupe at Jefferson and Lafayette avenues, said he had expected a deal to develop which would have given him enough money to meet the checks.

HELD FOR \$60,000 SHORTAGE

Police Say Employee of Chicago Bank Admits Embezzlement.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—A true bill charging embezzlement of \$60,000 has been voted by the grand jury against Delbert Smith, 31 years old, head of the bonding department of a bank.

Smith, the son of a well-to-do Buffalo (N. Y.) family, has confessed the embezzlements, police said, and declared he was forced to take the money to live a life of ease and plenty that he was accustomed to. Smith is married and is the father of a 2-months-old baby.

Christmas Gift Certificates

This is the happy, satisfactory choice of the hurried business man or woman—the tactful Christmas giver. The recipient spends the gift certificate in any department of the store—for any merchandise desired—issued at Any Exchange Desk in the Store.



Gift Lingerie

Crepe Satins \$3.95
Silk Georgettes
Silk Crepe de Chines
Teddies, gowns, dance sets, sleepers, bloomers, blouses, slips, make this a delightful gift group from which to make a gift choice. Elaborately lace trimmed—dainty touches of rosebuds and two-tone ribbons. Others simply tailored.

Philis Gowns

Hand-embroidered garments—Round, square and V necklines. Sleeveless or kimono sleeve styles. Extra sizes are reinforced under arms. \$1.95

Silk Gift Lingerie

Lace-trimmed or tailored teddies, sleepers and bloomers of crepe de chine, peach, flesh and white shades. Slips are tailored—Christmas feature. \$1.95

Gift Mesh Bags

Brilliantly Enamelled \$2.95
Made by Whiting & Davis, so each is very lovely in texture, workmanship and design. The links are so fine and supple, these Bags are as pliant as fabric. Finished with metal frames.

Dunhill Vanities

Very handsome are these silver-plated finish, slender flat Vanities that hold compactly lipstick, rouge, mirror and powder. Sister-creation to the Dunhill lighter. \$5

Enamelled Vanities

A fancy enamelled plaque ornaments these dainty Vanities. Some contain rouge, powder, lipstick, comb, compact, mirror, partment and mirror. \$6.50

Diamonds for Gifts

Diamond Rings \$24.95
18-k. white gold Dinner Ring, set with 3 brilliant diamonds and synthetic sapphires. A handsome filigree mounting.

Diamond Watches

14-k. solid white gold case set with two brilliant diamonds and four synthetic sapphires. 15-jewel guaranteed movement. \$24.98

Elgin Strap Watch

14-k. gold filled case set with four brilliant diamonds and synthetic sapphires. 15-jewel high-grade guaranteed movement. \$35

Diamond Rings

18-k. white gold mounting, set with one brilliant, large diamond and two small diamonds. \$100

Pearl Novelties

Long rope reproduction pearls, chokers, two-strand, crystalline and reproduction pearl drops and pendants. \$1.95

Diamond Watches

Solid white gold cases set with four brilliant diamonds and synthetic sapphires. 15-jewel high-grade guaranteed movement. \$39.95

Crystal Chokers

Diamond cut, high luster, synthetic Crystal Chokers. Dainty colors of blue, pink, rose, red, green and white. A very fashionable Choker for gifts. \$2.95

Umbrellas for Gifts

Silk Umbrellas \$4.95
Gift colors of blue, green, purple, garnet, brown and black—pretty amber-colored handles, tips and stubs. 16-rib style. Black and gold finished steel rod.

Sun-Rain Umbrellas

16-rib gold-finished frame—wood-shank effect—silk covers in blue, green, purple, garnet, brown, black. \$6.95

Men's Umbrellas

Folding, tuck-away style to fit into a small space—measures 18 in. when folded. Wanted handles. Others, \$10. \$5

Artneedlework

Rayon Taffeta Pillows \$2
Effective Gift Selections
Pillows that are piled without number make this a most colorful group. And one has many choice preferences—in round, oblong and square styles. All are prettily shirred—many boast effective silk flower trimmings. The colors are cheery—in keeping with the gay holiday season.

New Gift Bedlights
Of sheer Georgette. The wide choice of the novelty styles, the daintiness of their fashioning, the silk flower and ribbon trimmings make them most gift-like. Finely lined; complete with cord and plug. \$2.95

Italian Pottery \$1.39
Imported direct from Italy—vases, cigarette boxes, candlesticks, pitchers, etc. \$1.39

Breakfast Sets \$5
32-piece Breakfast Sets—American semi-porcelain, ivory-tinted body—five attractive patterns. \$5

Scarfs for Gifts

Square Scarfs \$1.95
Arriving just in time for Christmas choosing, these gayly colored Scarfs, so attractive with frills or coat. New patterns and combinations—some have hand-painted designs.

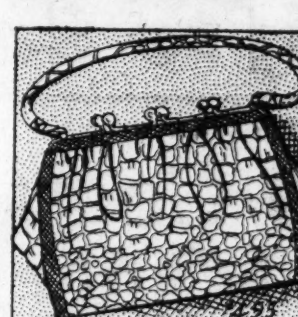


Silk Scarfs \$2.95
Dainty crepe de chine, Georgettes and silks in new Christmas patterns and colors. Included are the smart long Scarfs, squares and triangles. \$2.95

Painted Scarfs \$4.95
Each is skillfully hand-painted and fashioned of heavy crepe de chine. Choice of dainty gift squares and long Scarfs. \$4.95

Bags for Gifts

Leather Bags \$4.95
Every feminine member of the family will rejoice to find a Handbag among her Christmas gifts. These are in the new antelope and line leathers in pouch, under-arm, back-strap and O'Rourke styles. Finely silk or leather lined.



Men's Leather Bill Folds \$1.95
Three-fold style of genuine pin seal or cowhide—some with gold-plated tips. A gift to a man. \$1.95

Men's Leather Tourist Cases \$7.95
Leather-lined Cases containing six essential fittings. A real gift is useful and good looking. \$7.95

Men's 2-Trouser Suits or Overcoats

Every New and Approved Type \$40.00 to \$50.00 Values

Can Be Bought on Our Popular 10-Payment Plan If You Wish \$29.
No Interest Charged

Dress up for the holidays in one of these newest models of correctly styled two-trouser Suits. You will find the popular college models—the double-breasted or conservative styles. The Overcoats are truly marvelous values—new blues in tube or box models, Chesterfields, Town Ulsters or Raglan models.

All the newest patterns and colors—blues, Oxfords, college stripes, grays, tans and browns. The Overcoats are correctly tailored in the wanted models—a wide variety of patterns—newest plaid back styles. (Third Floor.)



Choice of Any Boys' Suit, Leather Coat or Overcoat

From Our Entire Table-Stocks—Three Lots

\$9.95 \$12.95 \$16.95

These are Two-Knicker Suits, Sheep-Lined Coats, Horsehide Coats and Overcoats.

These are Two Plus-Four Knicker Suits, Two-Trouser Suits, Horsehide Coats and Overcoats.

These are Two-Trouser Suits, Overcoats and Sheep-Collared Horsehide Coats.

An event specially planned for parents of growing lads that they may make practical gifts for the boys of the family at a Christmas saving. Garments that will give service long after Christmas—and taken from our regular stocks of high-grade groups. Formerly \$13.50 to \$22.50.

Boys' Lumberjacks. \$2.97 to \$4.95 Boys' Tie Sets. 50c, 65c, \$1.00 Boys' Sweaters. \$1.95 to \$7.95 Boys' Indian Suits. 98c to \$3.45 (Bottown, Third Floor)

\$1 Gold-Encrusted Stemware

Specially Priced 6 for \$2.98

Be in accord with the new in table service and add this new sparkling Glassware to your dining appointments. With wide gold band and coin gold line at top and foot. This includes goblets, wines, cocktails, high and low sherbets.

Italian Pottery \$1.39
Imported direct from Italy—vases, cigarette boxes, candlesticks, pitchers, etc. \$1.39

Breakfast Sets \$5
32-piece Breakfast Sets—American semi-porcelain, ivory-tinted body—five attractive patterns. \$5



TOYS



Lone Eagle Bicycles \$27.50
28-in. wheels for boys and men; heavy tubular frame; enameled red trimmings in black or enameled blue, trimmed in red. Equipped with good, nickel-plated rims, New Departure coaster brake.



\$3 Pedal Bike \$1.98
For small child, has yellow enameled wood seat, three disc rubber tired wheels, and pedals.



\$4 Bunny Car \$2.98
Large disc rubber tired wheels with white enameled and bell.



\$16 Parkcycle \$11.98
Blue enameled bicycle frame, with rubber-tired wheels; nickel spokes and hubs; full ball-bearing.

Visit Santa and Get a Surprise Package for 2

Santa Gives These Packages Out and Each Package Contains Marvelous Toys to Delight Boys and Old and Young! In Fairyland.



STEAM SHOVELS \$1.69
These Steam Shovels made of heavy pressed steel and sand and dump.



\$8 Carriage \$6.50
Large enough for a 28-inch doll, made of round w.o.v. fiber, with reclining back, reversible top with glass windows, foot brake and large tires.

Mama Doll
Beautiful Doll; dressed in a real hat to match. Unbreakable head; pretty painted face, and eyes.

3-Pc. Living Room Suites

Regular \$180.00 \$109.
This Suite includes large sofa, arm chair and wing chair, covered in fine quality three-tone Jacquard velour cushions with silk damask carved fronts and base. Reversible.

3-Pc. Suites \$159.00 \$139.75
\$225 Value
Davenport, armchair and Capote covered in Velour—carved wood frame—web construction—carved front. Cover in velour.

3-Pc. Suites \$139.75 \$125 Value
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REMUS' TRIAL WANDERS AFAR AS HE FIGHTS TO SAVE LIFE

Witnesses Range From Criminals to Government Officials, With Testimony Disclosing Undertone of Sordid Money Quest.

By FREDERICK H. BRENNAN, Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.
CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 16.—After all, big trials do have an ending. There came a time, eventually, when lawyers are not allowed to talk any more, when the last courtroom snapshot is taken, when all the witnesses who are going to be indicted for perjury have been indicted, and about the court house a restful, sobering silence settles.
So it is with the trial of George Remus, former "King of Bootleg-

gers." There is a very distinct impression now among the citizens of Cincinnati, and perhaps the rest of the United States, that Remus actually has been on trial for his life for an offense still frowned on by law-abiding people, to-wit, the slaying of his wife. Imogene Remus is dead, and George Remus committedly killed her, and now a jury finally is going to decide whether he dies in the electric chair for it.
Few first degree murder trials of public note have wandered so far afield as this one, which is expected to go to the jury not later than tomorrow. The private life of a big bootlegger has been thoroughly explored. The private life of a big bootlegger's wife has been even more exhaustively exposed. Testimony has ranged from the portals of the \$750,000 (bootleg figures) Remus home in Cincinnati to jail and penitentiary cells and back to handsome hotel suites and into the nebulous environs of the underworld.
Witnesses who have ranged from pickpockets to gunmen, from ex-convicts to bankers and from newspaper reporters to an Assistant United States Attorney-General, have told their stories.
Motley Array of Testimony.
The subject matter of testimony has been as motley. Double-cross and triple-cross murder plots and alleged social promiscuities, talk to show George Remus was insane and talk to show he wasn't, charges and counter charges galore have filled the record of this trial.
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PATENT —Spike or Cuban Heel. **\$5** PATENT —Spike or Cuban Heel.

No longer can you doubt Sensenbrenner style and value-giving supremacy when such beautiful and wonderfully made shoes are offered at so low a price. Come in! Try on a pair. They're irresistible! Yes! You'll walk out with them on—style to the minute and money ahead. All sizes 2½, 8, A to C.

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Rayon and Cotton Spreads \$2.98

Gift Suggestions!

Two Special Groups
Women's SILK Underwear

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CHEMISES, STEP-INS, COSTUME SLIPS
daintily trimmed with lace—wanted shades.
Dainty Silk Underwear that will give service—will make an appreciated gift—special selection for Saturday.

Group No. 2
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An assortment of Silk Underwear that will attract the most critical gift seeker—Well made chemise, step-ins, dance sets, in lovely colors. (Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

Men's Mufflers
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Men's silk crepe reefers and square Mufflers in beautiful new patterns and colors.

Men's Suspenders
69c Values **59c**
Rayon web Suspenders in narrow and wide widths, cut long. Boxed for Xmas gifts.

Men's Mufflers
\$1.39 Values **\$1**
Men's beautiful knit and silk Reefers in new novelty figures and patterns. Special.

Men's Pajamas
\$1.95 Values **\$1.69**
Genuine English broadcloth, cut full, splendidly made with a rayon frog. Sizes A, B, C and D.

Men's Gloves
\$1.65 Values **\$1**
Chamois suede fabric Gloves; many mercerized lined, with spout and embroidered backs. 7½ to 9½.

Men's Bathrobes
\$3.95 Values **\$2.98**
Full cut in beautiful assortment of patterns and colors. Large shawl collars, 2 pockets.

Men's Shirts
\$1.45-\$1.95 Values **\$1.29**
Genuine English broadcloth, collar-attached and neckband style; many colors and white. Sizes 14 to 17.

Men's Hosiery
50c Values **39c**
Silk and rayon, rayon-plated and wool cashmere Hosiery in neat patterns. Slight irregulars.

Men's Silk Ties
\$1.00 Values **79c**
Beautiful silk 4-in-hand open-end Ties in good assortment of novelty patterns and colors. (Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

Women's "Beacon" Bathrobes
\$3.98
\$4.98 value—dramatic patterns, cut full; extra robes in extra sizes. (Basement.)

Gift Suggestion! PERFECT QUALITY HOSE
Featuring: silk & silk & rayon Hose
69c
Three-seam back style—reinforced at wearing points, with light semi-service and heavy weight.
Women's 89c Hose **55c**
Silk and rayon, mock footless, slender ankles, reinforced with light weight.
\$1.98 Picot Top SILK HOSE \$1.59
Pure thread silk—colored top—beautiful color—reinforced with light. (Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

Boys' 4-Pc. Suits and Overcoats
Actual \$8.95 Values **2 for \$11**

Boys' junior Overcoats, sizes 3 to 8 years, and school Overcoats in sizes 9 to 16 years. Boys' 4-piece Suits with 2 pairs full lined knickers or one pair knickers and one pair longies. Sizes 7 to 15 years.

Boys' Mufflers
Ideal Xmas gift of smart rayon Mufflers and Ties to match. In Xmas boxes. **88c**

Boys' Gift Sets
An assortment of practical and new Xmas Sets consisting of handkerchiefs, ties, etc. **50c**

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Perfectly tailored, fancy percales in good assortment of new patterns. **69c**
Sizes 6 to 15.

Boys' Cowboy Suits
Leatherette trimmed with gay kerchiefs, hat, larlat and holster. Sizes 6 to 12. **\$1.68**
(Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

Men! "Dress Up" for the Holidays! Save Saturday!

Men's 2-Pt. Suits and Overcoats
\$16.50 to \$22.50 Values **2 FOR \$29.75**

2-Pants Suits
Smart new models as well as conservative styles. High-grade worsteds, chevrons and cassimeres. All sizes.

Overcoats
Prevailing box-back style in light and dark colorings—new Fall patterns; also plain blues.

You Will Want One of These Advance
New Hats
Should Sell for \$2.95 to \$3.95 **\$1.95**

Hundreds of new Hats—just received from New York for the holiday occasion.

New Felts—Water weaves, high-colored Failles, with touches of straw and tinsel braid, smart satins, etc.

Bright new high shades, as well as popular black, chic styles, matronly Hats, small and large head sizes. (Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

Just Arrived! 600 Brand-New
Girls' Coats and Silk Dresses

Well-made Dresses of silk flat crepe and crepe de chine, self and velvet trimmed. Good warm Coats with fur collars—polairs, velours, etc. **\$3.95**
Sizes 7 to 14 Years

Girls' Raincoats, Special
Limit one to a customer. Raincoats with Hats to match. Sizes 7 to 14 years. While 100 last. **\$1.49**
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\$4.50 and \$6 Values **\$2.98**

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Sale! 1000 Brand-New Silk Dresses

Every Dress well made and beautifully trimmed—fashioned of excellent quality materials. A marvelous opportunity to save on fashion's newest Dresses.

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Rose Blue Many Others

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400 NEW SILK DRESSES **\$5.90**

A special purchase of Brand-NEW Dresses for women and misses—smartest styles—New colors. Sizes 14 to 46. (Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

EXTRA! 250 Women's and Misses' **RAIN COATS**
Practical Xmas Gifts **\$2.97**

Leatherette Raincoats—guaranteed waterproof; all sizes. (Basement.)

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Select from eight tables of bolts. Odd styles and patterns. Some are bargains.

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Our regular \$2.50 quality

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A New

6-Tube 1-Dial **GRO**

In Beautiful High Finished in Genuine Phonic Type Speaker

This Offer Represents most in Radio Value

This six-tube one-dial totally shielded, socket power operated with the installed in the beautiful high quality above, is truly a bargain at our low price. Where have you ever seen a value like this? Hundreds will appreciate the big value. We advise early shopping if you want this radio.

At This Low Price

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sonally he is a charming rogue, the real George Remus who stands at the bar of justice today is not of the stuff of which heroes are made.

A summary of testimony presented by State and defense reveals a career for which few excuses can be advanced. The convicts at Atlanta penitentiary used to call out "who got the cheese?" and then answer "Remus, the rat!" so Willie Haar, a defense witness, testified.

Sordid Story of Money Quest.

Since the time when Remus, a Chicago lawyer, deliberately decided to violate the prohibition law to get rich at it, Remus has been a corruptionist and a "squawker."

His fellow convicts at Atlanta did not care whether he was a corruptionist or not. They called him a "rat" because he "snitched."

Remus money corrupted Collector Arnold Heilmich of St. Louis and sent him to prison. Remus money helped to corrupt Wardens Sarian of Atlanta penitentiary and land him in his own battle. Remus money has even reached certain high circles at Washington via Jess Smith, it is said. These are major instances. The places where a Remus bribe turned lesser officials against their sworn duties are legion. He has admitted it all, he has "squawked."

His defense for killing his wife

last Oct. 6 has been "temporary maniacal insanity" induced by stories told him of her alleged infidelities with Franklin L. Dodge Jr., former Department of Justice agent, and by her alleged efforts to gain control of all his wealth from bootlegging operations for himself while he was in prison.

Throughout the trial there has been no competent factual testimony in support of either of these charges. The defense was not required to prove the truth of stories told Remus about his wife's behavior, under the rule of evidence governing an insanity plea. For every trick defense witnesses said they told Remus his wife did, the

State has produced witnesses to tell of tricks Remus did to his wife.

Prosecutor Taft will doubtless assume ironically that the dirtiest trick of all was when Remus ran his wife down in a taxicab in Eden Park and shot her to death.

Charges and Counter-Charges.

Defense witnesses said Remus loved his wife, was kind to her and faithful. State witnesses declared Remus once hit her on the nose in a hotel room, and had meetings with another woman in a hotel at Hamilton, O. Defense witnesses said Mrs. Remus stole her husband's whiskey certificates, his real estate, his home and his furniture. State's witnesses said Mrs. Remus sold some of their property to pay their mutual debts while he was in prison; that he gave her the home on Price Hill, here, and that Mrs. Remus had so little cash she couldn't pay a hotel bill on one occasion. Defense witnesses said Mrs. Remus traveled about the country with Franklin Dodge, State testimony was that there had been nothing improper in her relations with Dodge. No evidence for either story was produced.

As to the bitter fight between Remus and his wife over his illicit wealth, which led to a cross-fire of divorce suits prior to the killing, testimony differed as widely.

Defense witnesses picture Mrs. Remus as a treacherous and grasping woman who lulled her trustful husband with kindnesses up to the moment she filed suit for divorce. State's testimony was that there was an open break long before that and Mrs. Remus wouldn't settle the property rights because she caught Remus trying to cheat her. This leaves the nice problems of equity in gains from lawless liquor operations up to the wisdom of 10 men and two women.

Remus' Behavior in Court.

The behavior of Remus on trial during the trial has been in keeping with his known character. He has protested loudly and continuously. He has had a persecution complex. He has wailed and he has wept before the jury. He has filed motions charging that the State's prosecutors were intimidating and harassing his witnesses by indicting two for perjury. Acting as his own counsel, with the tortured acquiescence of his lawyer, Charles Elston, Remus has kept up a display of apoplectic rages and a stream of bombastic speeches. Humility or regret is not in the man. His vituperations against Prosecutor Taft and his assistants resulted in his being cited for contempt by Judge Shook, Wednesday.

On the other hand it should be said that Remus was on trial for his life and under tremendous nervous strain. Tactics which to the observer appear theatrical and calculated may be forgiven any defendant in such an extremity. It is true, also, that the amazing personality of the man has kept loyal friends about him always.

Remus May Address Jury.

His final gesture probably will be an address to the jury. He did not take the witness stand. How will he fare with the dozen or so peers? His friends expect an acquittal within an hour. The prosecution from the first has been pessimistic as to the possibility of a conviction.

"Temporary maniacal insanity" is a puzzling quantity to put to a jury of housewives, farmers and clerks. It is a question on which a jury of skilled alienists might disagree. Moreover, Remus' actions in his own defense have made him a living, vivid personality to the jury, not a glum, silent colorless defendant sitting behind his lawyers. It will be harder for the jury—for any jury—to vote to send such a defendant to the electric chair.

The jury knows Remus, and anyone who knows Remus experiences some difficulty in forming a hatred against him. Was he insane when he killed his wife, and is he insane now? These questions may keep the jury deliberating longer than an hour anyway. The State's three alienists have reported he was sane at the time of the slaying. But the layman who has followed Remus' preposterous career before and during the trial might conclude that the whole life of this man has been a sort of insanity since he was "king of the bootleggers."

"FOOLISH" CURE NOT ILLEGAL

Court Upholds Right to Rely on Prayer.

By the Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16.—Faith healing may be "foolish," but there is nothing in the laws of Pennsylvania to prohibit the placing a pinch of salt in a shoe and a bed to cure insomnia. Justice Trexler of the State Superior Court has so ruled in reversing the conviction of an associate minister of the First Spiritualist Church of Pottstown of violating the fortune-telling act of 1861.

The minister, David D. Blair, of Chester, had been sentenced to 20 days in jail and to pay a fine of \$50 after a State policeman testified he was advised to place a pinch of salt in his bed in the form of a cross when he told Blair that he could not sleep. In his opinion could not sleep. In his opinion could not sleep. In his opinion could not sleep.

Blair gave that the witness should put a pinch of salt in his shoes and also in his bed is foolish. We cannot determine whether he was sincere. We must accord to anyone the right to believe and assert that prayer will heal the sick."

Pleased With Sunday Meeting.

BENTON, Ill., Dec. 16.—That the whole moral tone of Southern Illinois has been made immeasurably better by evangelistic meetings conducted by the Rev. W. A. "Billy" Sunday, was the opinion voiced at a meeting here of Franklin County ministers. Increased spiritual enthusiasm and church attendance were factors on which the opinions were based.

Seas that towered over the ship lashed the Stuttgart from the time she struck the open sea until she passed Halifax, her captain said.

Last Friday and Saturday were the worst days of the voyage.

Mrs. Hedwig Webster of Baltimore suffered a broken knee cap when a turch of the ship threw her from a deck chair. Two members of the crew and a galley scullion also were injured.

The Stuttgart arrived several hours after the liner American Merchant had docked 49 hours late, reporting a gale-tossed passage. So rough was the weather that for two days the American merchant was forced to heave to in midocean.

Admits Tar and Feather Hoax.

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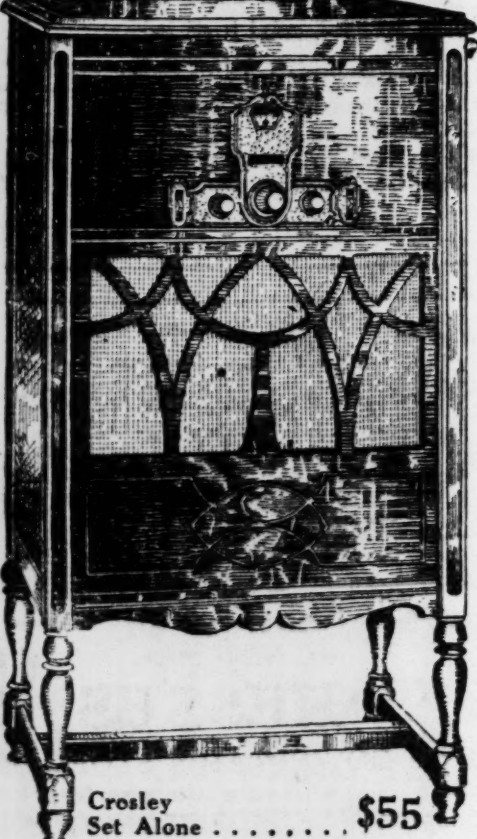
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Every modern home should have a modern radio set, and our new special offer brings this splendid Crosley within the reach of all.

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Colored Leathers.
Soft and hard sole.
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Tan Opera Slippers—Fancy Trimmed.....\$4.00 to \$4.50
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Black Grain Oxfords—Medium and Brogue Toe.....\$7.75 to \$14.00
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\$70,000 TRACED TO 5 MEN ON TRIAL FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

Prosecution Follows Lake County (Ill.) Funds from Treasury to Personal Accounts.

By the Associated Press.

WAUKEGAN, Ill., Dec. 14.—Through direct testimony the State yesterday traced \$70,000 of \$100,000 alleged to have been taken from the Lake County Treasury to the personal accounts of the five men charged with embezzlement.

The defendants who are accused of taking the county funds largely for their interests in the Barrington Oil Co. are: Roy Bracher and Ira Pearsall, former County Treasurers; Chas. Busick, Wilmette oil stock promoter; Clark Nye, former cashier of the First National Bank of Eureka, Kan., where the county's \$100,000 is alleged to have been deposited; and Harold Martin, vice president of the Security Savings Bank of Waukegan, also a bank holding Lake County funds.

The prosecution promises to account for the rest of the \$100,000 before it rests, probably today.

Fire Damages Negro Church.

The True Light (Negro) Baptist

Church, 201 South Sixteenth street, was damaged by fire which started near a furnace in the basement, yesterday afternoon. The Rev. R. E. Clifton, pastor, estimated damage at \$1100.

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Lindbergh Creates Good Feeling on Present Flight

The Mexican flight of Lindbergh is of utmost political significance. Never between the United States and Mexico has there been such a common point of interest and good feeling as Lindbergh has created.

Gifts of real permanence that create good feeling the year 'round are the kind to be found at the Prutrock-Litton Furniture Company, Fourth and St. Charles streets.

Coxwell Chairs, specialty priced today and Saturday at \$29.50. Luxurious—all hand-filled, custom-made chairs—covered in fine imported coverings of your selection. See them!

Lammerf's Christmas Specials

Italian Renaissance Table with ornately turned understructure. Top has eight sides with ornamental trim.

\$16.50



Loose cushion Coxwell Chair covered in combination linen frieze and velour. Very good construction and extremely comfortable.

\$49.50

Solid Walnut Arm Pull-Up Chair

Large pull-up chair with solid walnut arm and back, covered in choice of tapestries or red mohair cover on seat. Studded with antique nails.

\$19.75



Solid mahogany Coxwell Chair in combination plain and figured frieze velour trimmed with fringe.

\$68.50



Choice of Secretary or Desk
\$49.50

We picture a Governor Winthrop Secretary and a Desk of the same type. The Secretary has three drawers, space above for books and drop-lid writing bed. The Desk has four drawers and drop-lid writing bed. Both are made of mahogany veneer on gumwood, beautifully finished. Choice of either at this price.

Lammerf's
FURNITURE
RUOZ SILLS
WASHINGTON

STIX, BAER & FULLER DOWNSTAIRS (A GREAT STORE IN A GREAT CITY) STORE NEWS

See Our Other Announcements on Pages 5 and 19

Store Open
Until 6 P. M.



Select Gifts in the
Christmas Store of Low Prices
Shop Early in the Day—

Girls' Attractive Dresses

Special Purchase Group
at a Very Low Price

\$3.95



IN the group are wool jerseys in one and two-piece models—wool-flannel with solid color blouses and plaid skirts, also velvet blouses and wool plaid skirts.

In navy, red, copen, brown, tan and wine—wonderful values at this price—sizes 7 to 14 years.

(*Cotton Back.) (Downstairs Store.)

Women's Robes—The Ideal Gift

\$2.95 \$3.95 \$5.95

AN UNUSUALLY large variety of Robes—some in the mannish tailored styles, others elaborately trimmed with wide bands of silk ribbon on collars, cuffs and pockets—beautiful patterns on light and dark grounds. Sizes 36 to 54. (Downstairs Store.)

Purchase of Converse Rubber Co. (Chicago) Floor Stock of 1200 Pairs Women's Novelty Arctics Go on Sale Saturday Morning At **\$3.19** Pair



WE were most fortunate in securing this lot of 1200 pairs of the season's smartest Novelty Arctics and Gaiters, enabling us to sell them at a fraction above original cost—some below cost. Make selection NOW.

The "DORIS"—made of tan and salmon tweed (wool and cotton mixture)—with AUTOMATIC FASTENER and collar clasp. Sizes 3 to 8.

The "SPRINGEM"—a smart creation with velvet gusset and concealed metal spring, making same self adjustable without any buckle. Come in fawn and light gray. Sizes 3 to 8.

The "PERT"—a chic college boot, fashioned in red, white and black checks on mulberry background. Have adjustable elastic and clasp at collar. Sizes 3 to 8. (Downstairs Store.)

Gifts for Women! Silk Lingerie—a Sale **\$1.69**



TEDDY Bear Chemise of fine quality crepe de chine—in all the new high colors—some are hand embroidered, others are lace trimmed; sizes 36 to 44.

Women's rayon Pajamas, two-piece, hand painted, at \$2.95

Women's crepe de chine Gowns, lace trimmed, at \$2.95 and \$3.95

Rayon Bloomers, \$1 and \$1.50 regular and extra sizes

Costume Slips of Betina satin or crepe de chine, \$1.95 and \$2.95

Women's Pajamas at \$1.50

The very newest styles—made of fast-colored prints with pants to match—attractively trimmed with banding of contrasting colors—each suit packed in a box.

Women's Sweaters
\$7.85

The much-wanted Shaker knit—made with roll collar and large pockets—come in white or cardinal, maroon and tan. Sizes 36 to 44.

Cape to match in colors, \$1.00

Slipover Sweaters
\$1.95

For misses and women, in sizes 36 to 44—with or without collars—knitted of pure wools; some in solid colors or the new sports stripes.

(Downstairs Store.)

Women's Rayon Underwear **\$1.00**

BLOOMERS and Teddies made of fine count rayon—in peach, flesh, coral and honeydew—well reinforced and finished with flat lock seams. (Downstairs Store.)

Women's Hose in Gift Box **\$1.00** Pair

THREAD Silk Hose in service or sheer weight chiffon; have lisle hems; soles and toes interlined with good grade lisle; light and dark shades. (Downstairs Store.)

Men's Novelty Hosiery **38c** Pair

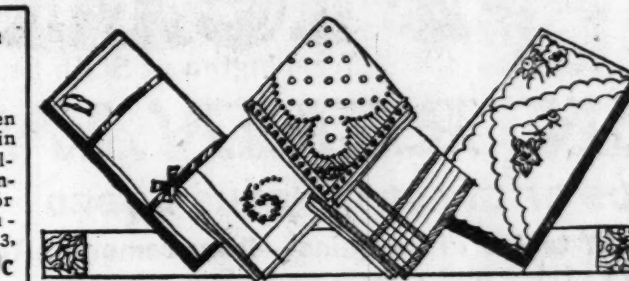
RAYON and lisle Socks in fancy checks and stripes—all are reinforced at wearing points. A very useful gift. (Downstairs Store.)

Women's Scarfs **\$1.49**

SQUARES and Oblongs—of crepe de chine—in the new patterns and colors—also embroidered crepe de chine with fringed ends and printed Georgettes. (Downstairs Store.)

Thousands of New Gift HANDKERCHIEFS

Pure Linen
Boxed
Kerchiefs
For women—fine linen in white or colors, or contrasting color combination. Box of 3.
49c 59c 79c



Porto Rican
Pure Linen
Kerchiefs
For women—beautifully embroidered by hand in many attractive designs. Each.
25c

For Women!

BOXED 'KERCHIEFS—Fine cambric, white or pastel colors, embroidered corners, hemstitched hems. Box of three.
33c, 49c, 59c

NOVELTY 'KERCHIEFS—Fine Swiss boxed Handkerchiefs of linen or fine lawn; embroidered or lace corners; three in box.
79c, \$1.00

WOMEN'S 'KERCHIEFS—Linen, cotton, lawns and cambric—white or colored—plain or embroidered corners, each.
5c, 7 1/2c, 10c

NOVELTY SILK 'KERCHIEFS—Boxed, novelty crepes in pastel colors, hand painted, tinselled. Box of 3 or 3 for.
50c

Extra-Size Rayon Bloomers, \$1.50

In light and dark shades—have reinforced seats—elastic at waist and knee.

Boxed Stationery **\$1.00**

Some of the boxes have 36 sheets of paper and 36 envelopes—white or tints—also boxes with gilt-edge correspondence cards.

Manicure Sets **\$1.95 and \$2.95**

Included are 8, 11 and 20 piece Sets—containing everything that's necessary for the best tended nails—each Set in a leatherette case.

Shell Amber Mirrors, \$1.00

These Mirrors have long handle and are in round or oval shapes—have beveled glass mirror.

Imported French Perfume, \$1.00

Made and packed in France—each bottle is packed in artistic box—five styles—two odors, Chypre and Narcissus.

Mixed Nuts **29c** Pound

All Nuts are new crop—mixed in equal proportions—including pecans, almonds, brazil, walnuts and filberts, 29c pound or 3 pounds, 85c.

Large, paper-shell pecans at 69c pound.

(Downstairs Store.)

Children's Rayon and Lisle Hose, 59c Pair

IN the popular 5x7 rib—with reinforced heels and toes—in chamolli, biscuit, atmosphere, grain, camel and nude. Sizes 6 to 9 1/2. (Downstairs Store.)

Men's Gift Hosiery Priced to Satisfy Every Man

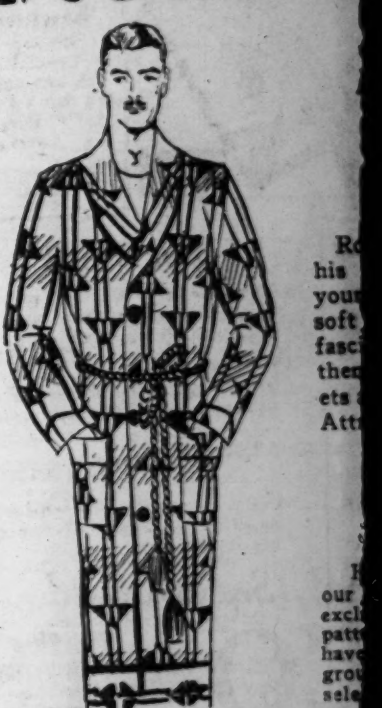
Fancy Wool and Silk-and-Wool Hose, in an excellent variety of the son's new patterns. **75c**

Fancy Silk-and-Rayon Hose, 75c and Fancy Rayon-and-Mercedized Lisle. Pure Thread Silk Hosiery, full-fashion pair. **\$1 to \$2**

Interwoven Pure Thread Silk, medium and heavy weight, black and plain color pair. **75c**

(Men's Hosiery—Main Floor)

ROBES



NECKWEAR

Gift Ties of Imported Domestic Silks of Attractive Suggestive

\$1.50

Choosing gift Neckwear from comprehensive assortment is pleasant. Included at this low price are cadet and jacquard figure Austrian Magadores and other ties to suit every taste. Each for giving if desired.

IMPORTED TIE RACK SETS—Attractive Tie Rack of hand-tooled effect, will keep dandy and conveniently available is packed in gift box quality Silk Tie to match. (Men's Furnishings)



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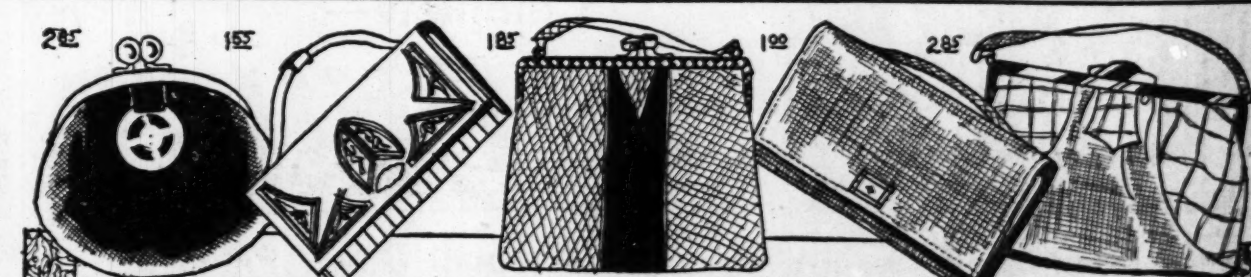
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Bring Happiness

Ice Skates Arch Planer's tubular Skates of tempered steel on highly reinforced black leather skating shoes. Sizes for men, women, boys and girls. **\$4.95**

Football The well-known Red Grange Football of heavy quality leather, made in regulation size. Complete with pump and ready laced. **\$4.75**

Imported Soccer Football Roller Skates, pair. Combination Game Set



Saturday—Our Greatest and Largest Showing of Women's Gift Handbags and Purses

HANDBAGS are such thoughtful and useful gifts and the DOWNSTAIRS STORE has most comprehensive assortments at VERY LOW PRICES. It will be a pleasure to select HERE—as there is extra selling space and plenty of salespeople to give you satisfactory service.

\$1.00

Included are under-arm, tailored, back strap and pouch Bags of katrol and silk.

\$1.55

Pouch, under-arm, tailored and envelope styles of calf, tooled calf, lizard grain, antelope and goat.

\$1.85

Under-arm, small and large pouches, back strap Vanity, and small envelope Purses.

\$2.85

Bags of shoe calf, lizard grain, goat, morocco, combination leathers, alligator grains, silk bags and rhinestone vanities.

Sample Leather Bags, 30% Off Marked Prices

Manufacturers' sample lines of Handbags in all the newest and smartest styles—including pouches, under-arm, top or back straps, vanities, large pouches and tailored Bags.

Of antelope, shoe calf, tooled Morocco, pinseal, vachette and combinations—in black, tan, brown, gray and combination of colors. Each Bag is nicely lined, some are fitted. (Downstairs Store.)

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Children's Rayon and Lisle Hose, 59c Pair

IN the popular 6x rib—with reinforced heels and toes—in chambray, biscuit, atmosphere, grain, camel and nude. Sizes 6 to 9½. (Downstairs Store.)

Gift CHIEFS

Porto Rican Pure Linen Kerchiefs
For women—beautifully embroidered by hand in many attractive designs. Each, 25c

For Men!

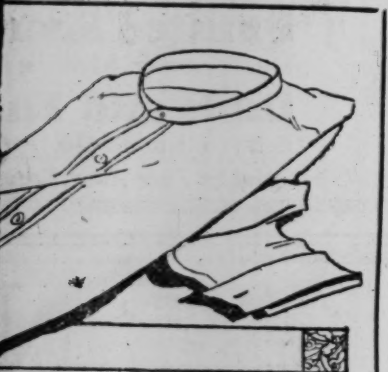
BOXED 'KERCHIEFS—Fine cambric, pure white, some with colored initials, box of 3 at 75c, \$1.00

COTTON 'KERCHIEFS—Full size, all-white as well as fast-colored woven borders and satin-finished white stripes. 5c, 10c, 15c, 19c

LINEN 'KERCHIEFS—All-white, hemstitched hems; of fine quality linen, each, 15c, 25c, 29c, 43c

INITIAL 'KERCHIEFS—All-white cambric, wanted initials; box of six, 59c, 75c

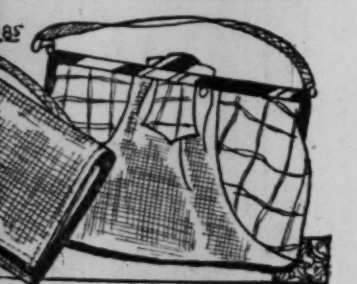
INITIAL LINEN 'KERCHIEFS—Full size, neatly embroidered initials; box of 3 for \$1.00; box of 6 for \$1.50

**Shirts for Gifts**

Assorted \$1.10
at

Christmas gift needs of Shirts from cut, well-made Shirts of broad center pleats and six-button collar-attached styles—large and plain white. Sizes 14 to 17.

Several shades, sizes 36 to 48.....\$3.85
Sweaters, sizes 36 to 48.....\$4.95
Packed in gift box.....85c
Trimmed, all sizes, at.....\$1.85
Ties, in four-in-hand style, at.....50c
Sleeve Shirts, sizes 14 to 17, at.....\$1.50
and styles, in gift box.....79c
Tip-Easy Buckles, packed in box.....\$1.00
18 inches, light and dark shades.....\$1.00
(Downstairs Store.)

**Showing of Handbags and Purses**

DOWNSTAIRS STORE has will be a pleasure to select give you satisfactory service.

\$2.85

Bags of shoe calf, lizard grain, goat, morocco, combination leathers, alligator grain, silk bags and rhinestone vanities.

Marked Prices

Tooled Morocco, pinseal, vachette, black, tan, brown, gray and combination is nicely lined, some are fitted. (Downstairs Store.)

Men's Gift Hosiery

Priced to Satisfy Every Need

Fancy Wool and Silk-and-Wool Mixed Hose, in an excellent variety of the season's new patterns.....75c to \$2

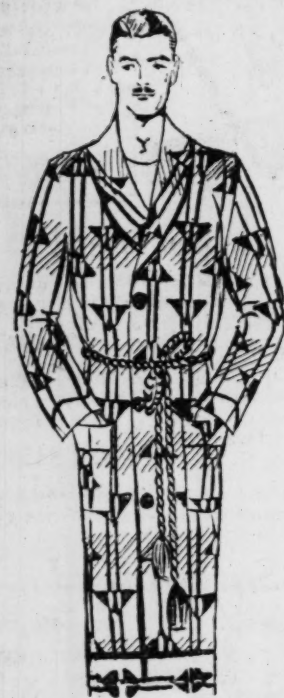
Fancy Silk-and-Rayon Hose, 75c and \$1
Fancy Rayon-and-Mercedized Lisle, 50c
Pure Thread Silk Hosiery, full-fashioned, pair.....\$1 to \$2.50

Interwoven Pure Thread Silk, medium and heavy weight, black and plain colors, the pair.....75c and \$1
(Men's Hosiery—Main Floor.)

ROBES

Comfortable Robes of Imported Blanket Cloth

\$14.95



Robes such as these are a tribute to his good taste and a compliment to yours. They are carefully tailored of soft imported ombra blanket cloth in fascinating color combinations. All of them have long shawl collars, deep pockets and cable girdles to match. All sizes. Attractively boxed if desired.

Austrian Warp-Print Silk Squares, \$15.00

Here are exceedingly smart Mufflers of our own importation, therefore, affording exclusive selection in exquisite sunburst pattern effects and gorgeous colors. You have choice of white, silver and pastel grounds. The silks are of rich quality selected by our representative.
(Men's Furnishings—Main Floor.)

NECKWEAR

Gift Ties of Imported and Domestic Silks Offer Attractive Suggestions

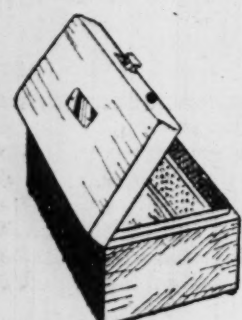
\$1.50

Choosing gift Neckwear from this comprehensive assortment is pleasant and easy. Included at this low price are smart broad and jacquard figure effects, rich Austrian Mogadores and other silks in patterns to suit every taste. Each Tie boxed for giving if desired.

IMPORTED TIE RACK and TIE SETS—Attractive Tie Rack of leather in hand-tooled effect, will keep his tie orderly and conveniently available. Rack is packed in gift box with good quality Silk Tie to match.....\$1.95
(Men's Furnishings—Main Floor.)

**Cigar Humidors**

For Cigars and Cigarettes



Mahogany-finished Humidors that will keep his cigars and cigarettes in perfect smoking condition. They have attractive name-plates and will hold 50 cigars. Any man who smokes will welcome one of these for his Christmas.....\$6.50

Kaywoodie Briar Pipes.....\$3.50 and \$5
Ash Trays and Ash Sets.....25c to \$7.50
Smokador Ashless Stands.....\$10.50

All Popular Brands of Cigars Will Be Specially Wrapped.
(Cigar Shop—Main Floor.)

Sporting Goods Gifts

Bring Happiness to Boys and Girls

Ice Skates

Planer's tubular Skates of tempered steel on highly re-inforced black leather skating shoes. Sizes for men, women, boys and girls.....\$6.95

Footballs

The well-known Red Grange Footballs of heavy quality leather, made in regulation size. Complete with pump and ready laced.....\$4.75

Archery Sets

Target, stand, arrow case, six rubber suction-cup arrows, lemon wood bow, all packed in brightly colored carton. The set.....\$4.95

Auto Robes

Large-size Robes of all-wool yarns in a variety of popular fancy plaid patterns. Ends have long, heavy fringe. They are priced.....\$5.95

Boxing Gloves

Strongly made Gloves of soft glove leather, durably stitched and well stuffed with fine curled hair. Set of four Gloves.....\$2.50

Striking Bags

Complete outfits—professional type Bags, nonpareil plat-forms with ball-bearing and chain swivel. Good values at \$7.45

Imported Soccer Footballs.....\$3.50
Roller Skates, pair.....\$1.59
Combination Game Sets.....\$1.95
(Sporting Goods—Fourth Floor.)



An Extraordinary Sale Offers

KUPPENHEIMER OVERCOATS AT

\$38.50

WHEN you can purchase Kuppenheimer Overcoats in the season's newest and smartest styles at this low price, you will do well to avail yourself of the opportunity. Every Coat in this sale is a 1927 model of typical Kuppenheimer craftsmanship. There are plenty of the popular blues, dark grays and fancy mixtures. Models and sizes for all men and young men.

Included at \$38.50 Are Fine Imported English Coats Tailored for Us by Wegoda in London

Why Not a House Coat?

Radio House Coats

\$5.95

Smartly styled Jackets of soft all-wool fabrics in blue, brown, maroon and gray. Pockets and cuffs are trimmed with fancy woolens; silk cord bindings and frogs.

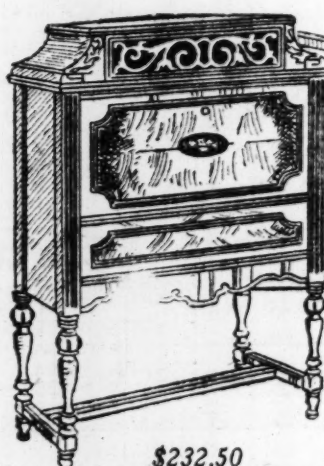


Radio House Coats

\$7.50

This group offers wide and satisfactory choice of well-tailored garments in a variety of plain colors with trimmings to match. They are of all-wool fabrics.

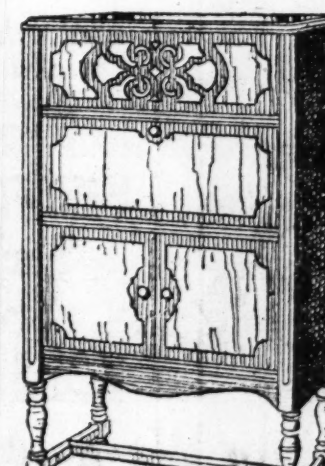
Other Radio House Coats.....\$9.75 to \$30
Men's Leatherette Raincoats.....\$7.50
Men's Wool Golf Knickers.....\$5.98 to \$7.98
(Men's Clothing—Fourth Floor.)



\$232.50



\$227.50



\$149

RADIO S

The Newest Electrified Models Are Here

RCA Radiola 17 In Hi-Boy Cabinet

\$232.50

Operating with the new AC tubes from the light socket, and controlled with one dial, this set affords radio reception in its simplest and most satisfactory manner. It is encased in a Hi-Boy cabinet with hand-painted front.

Atwater Kent "36" In Louis XIV Cabinet

\$227.50

Probably the most popular of Atwater Kent models. It has six tubes, employs the new AC electric tubes and possesses exceptional selective powers by use of a Vernier control. The cabinet has large brass hinges and built-in speaker.

Radiola "16" Electrified \$149
—in Hi-Boy Cabinet

The newest six-tube RCA Radiola with one-dial control, electrified with automatic Philco socket power to operate directly from the light socket. Its cabinet is the popular Hi-Boy type, excellently proportioned and with new type, high-voltage, built-in speaker. It is adapted especially well to small homes.

Any Radio Set Will Be Delivered Before Christmas
Convenient Terms of Payment May Be Arranged
(Radio Department—Fourth Floor.)

Give a Man Slippers

From This Large Assortment

Kidskin Slippers of high-grade, soft quality leather with comfortable hand-turned soles. Romeo, Everett and opera styles.....\$4.00

Daniel Green Felt Comfy Slippers in black, brown and green. All sizes from 6 to 11.....\$2.00

Daniel Green Hylos of soft felt with flexible leather soles; brown and gray. All sizes.....\$3.50
(Men's Slippers—Main Floor.)

SHIRTS

Royston Shirts, Choice Fabrics and Workmanship

\$2.50 to \$5.00

St. Louis men will be delighted with a gift selected from these Royston groups. Imported madrases, highly lustrous broadcloths and other desirable materials are offered with long-point collars attached, and with two starched collars to match. Sizes 13½ to 18.

The Popular Plain White Royston Broadcloth Shirts Are Priced, \$5

Velvet Rose Radium Silk Shirts, \$8.95

The luxuriousness of these well-known Silk Shirts has won for them a place of special recognition among shrewd gift-givers. They are here in solid blue, gray, tan and green; neckband and collar-attached styles.

Three Broadcloth Shirts in Gift Box, \$4.50

This is a feature offering that will solve your gift problem to the satisfaction of giver and receiver. Three lustrous white Shirts, in collar-attached or neckband styles, sealed in gift box.
(Men's Furnishings—Main Floor.)

**YOUTHS' SUITS**

Royston-Hi Oxford Gray Suits With Two Trousers

\$25.00

College boys who are coming home for the holidays will be enthusiastic about these new Oxford gray Suits in plain and striped effects. Oxford gray is ultra-smart on university campuses and the pre-dominating style is, like these, 3-button single-breasted coats and wide English trousers. Sizes 16 to 20.



Youths' Royston-Hi Overcoats, \$25

Royston-Hi Overcoats in colors and patterns to blend smartly with the Oxford gray suits—tailored in box-back models exclusively for Stix, Baer & Fuller. Sizes 16 to 20.
(Student Room—Fourth Floor.)

Christmas Candies

Delicious Sweets to Delight Every "Sweet Tooth" Are Gaily Packed in Attractive Holiday Boxes

California Candied Fruits

Open the lid of this attractive California redwood box and see the tempting selection of fresh figs, dates, nuts, raisins, glace fruits, etc. The pound.....\$1.25

**Three-Pound Gift Boxes**

—of bonbons, milk chocolates, fruits—candies sure to delight the "favored one"—packed in a lovely metal box that is colorfully decorated. Three-pound box.....\$2.25

These Tasty Mixed Candies

Including nut candies, bonbons and caramels, made according to our popular recipes, are an excellent choice for youngsters and grown-ups, for under the tree. Pound.....50c

Our Supreme Chocolates

—are so enticingly packed—and so very delicious—that your gift will surely be much appreciated. They are in vanilla or milk chocolate flavor, in gift boxes, pound only.....50c

The Delicious Superfine Candies

—that are favorites of so many people, are specially packed for Christmas giving in lovely decorative boxes of 1, 2, 3 and 5 lbs. Included are bonbons and chocolates, pound.....75c

Chocolate-Dipped Nuts and Fruits

If you would please the one who cares only for the finest—give this selection of delicious nut meats and fruits dipped in chocolate—a tempting sweetmeat. Pound.....\$1

Homemade Candies, many flavors, pound.....25c and 35c

Filled Stockings for kiddies, are priced.....10c to 25c
Candy Beads, 3 yards.....10c
Candy Canes.....5c to 25c
(Main Floor.)



TROOPS STOP MINERS' MEETING IN COLORADO

Former Labor Editor and I. W. W. Leader Among 10 Arrested for Defying Guards.

By the Associated Press.
DENVER, Colo., Dec. 16.—Ten alleged sympathizers of striking Colorado coal miners were under arrest today charged with defying a National Guard patrol ordered to prevent demonstrations.

Capt. Charles White of the Adjutant-General's staff made the arrests last night while guardsmen were breaking up a meeting of miners at Longmont in the Northern Colorado lignite field.

Frank Palmer, former editor of the Colorado Labor Advocate, and James Allander, identified as an organizer for the Industrial Workers of the World, were among those

arrested. Palmer was alleged to have led the disturbance.

White reported Palmer obtained the floor at a meeting of 700 miners and their families and attacked state officials and the National Guard. White said Palmer insulted Thomas Annett, chairman of the State Industrial Commission, who is leading negotiations to settle the strike called Oct. 18, last, by the I. W. W.

Defying National Guard.

After attacking Annett, White said, Palmer ridiculed Lieut. William White, who also attended the meeting.

"I understand the National Guard is looking for me. Well, here I am; let them come and take me if they dare," Capt. White said Palmer shouted.

After Palmer had been arrested a squad of soldiers armed with rifles with bayonets fixed, were stationed at the door of the hall. Eight more arrests were made as the miners fled between the two lines of soldiers.

While the miners dispersed peacefully, Capt. White said several women shook their fists at the soldiers and otherwise defied them.

The arrests marked the first

activity of the guardsmen in several weeks. The guard was mobilized to patrol the north field after State police had shot and killed five miners in a skirmish growing out of an alleged attempt to picket one of the largest mines in that district.

Since the shooting, of which the police were exonerated, the field has remained quiet. Miners have returned to work until production has approached normal throughout the State. At present an investigation is under way to determine the cause of the strike and also to settle the wage claims of miners now on strike on a tonnage basis.

RUSSIAN SOVIET LEADERS ADMITTED TO U. S. ON BOND

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Twelve Russian industrialists, members of the Supreme Economic Council of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics, who had been refused permission to land, were admitted to the country yesterday under bond of \$500 each.

Officials at Ellis Island, where the 12 industrialists were taken yesterday on their arrival on the Berengaria, said they understood the visitors came here to make ex-

tensive purchases of agricultural and industrial machinery.

A representative of the Amtorg Trading Corporation, soviet trading agency, which furnished the bonds, said he believed the real purpose of the visit was in connection with a contract of an American firm for the construction of an iron and steel plant in Russia. He declined to discuss the possibility that the visitors came to complete negotiations for a loan.

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For the Social Whirl—
Evening Gowns
Each Typical of the Holiday Functions Forthcoming

Introducing in this new establishment the exquisite Evening Gowns sponsored at Deauville and Biarritz—each a stunning type and very exclusive in style.

\$16⁵⁰
\$25
And Up to \$89.50

Our Own "Avenue"

Holiday Frocks
Springtime styles—brilliant color hues—to brighten the holiday spirit you'll love them—they are so smart and chic.

\$16⁵⁰ \$25⁰⁰

DRESS SHOP—Second Floor

Introducing—Straw Trimmings on Bright New

Holiday Millinery

Perky little modes in felt or silk—gay colorings that will blend with your gay mood. Rich satins for formal occasions.

Cafe Creme—Silvering—Grapenuts—Reds and Blacks.

\$5

Millinery Special **\$1⁸⁵**

Felts—Satin—Metallic—Velvets—Sharply reduced!—A very unusual offering.

MILLINERY SECTION, Main Floor

High-Type Coats

Values and Varieties Without Precedent This Year in Winter Coats Approved by Fashion and Good Taste.

New Sport Coats **\$25⁰⁰**
Fox-Trimmed Coats **\$39⁷⁵**
Wolf-Trimmed Coats **\$49⁷⁵**
Baby Seal Furred **\$59⁷⁵**
Marmot-Trimmed Coats **\$69⁷⁵**
Natural Lynx Furred **\$89⁵⁰**
Sable-Dye Fitch Furred **\$125⁰⁰**
Skunk Border Furred **\$149⁵⁰**

CUNNINGHAM'S
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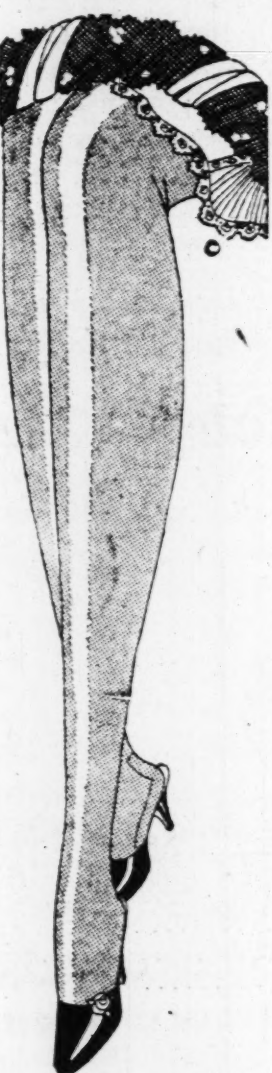
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BANK OPPOSED TO 100 PCT. ASSESSMENT

Greene County Institution Seeks Injunction to Prevent Collection.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 16.—Injunction proceedings have been instituted in the Greene County Circuit Court here to restrain Harvey W. Turner, Greene County Collector of Revenue, from collecting 1927 taxes on stock of the McDaniel National Bank on the basis of an assessed valuation of 100 per cent face value. The case is to be made a test in the courts and all the banks of the county will be affected.

Judge Warren L. White of Division No. 2 of the Circuit Court, in whose division the petition for a restraining order was filed, has set the hearing for the first day of the term to convene Jan. 9.

The litigation is the outgrowth of a recent decision of the Supreme Court to the effect that bank stock in one of the counties of North Missouri should not be assessed at full value because other property in the county was not so assessed.

Following the decision, the Greene County Court reduced the assessed valuation of bank stock in Greene County from 100 per cent to 75 per cent of the face value. The collector, however, was notified by the State Auditor not to receive payment of taxes on this basis.

It is expected that a tender of payment of State and county taxes will be made to the collector by the various banks of the county on the 75 per cent basis, and that the matter then will be held in abeyance pending the outcome of the legal battle now under way.

Whether the taxes shall be paid at the higher or lower figure means a difference in the county's annual revenue of nearly \$10,000.

FOR U. S. LIQUOR DISPENSARIES

Sabbath Resolution in House Urges Federal Depot System.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The establishment of Federal liquor dispensaries and the manufacture and sale of liquor entirely by the Government are proposed in a resolution today by Representative Sabbath (Dem.) of Illinois.

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WARNING IN 22 LANGUAGES

Polyglot Population on New Mexican Border Makes Sign Necessary.

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LAS CRUCES, N. M., Dec. 16.—Along the southern border of New Mexico everybody speaks two or three languages and more than a score of nationalities are represented in the population.

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\$1,000,000 Crop Last Year. But 1927 Yield Will Be Less.

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DIAMOND, set in an 18-k. SOLID
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3 full-cut GENUINE DIAMONDS—
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beautifully pierced and engraved.

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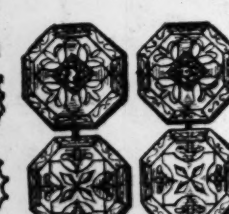
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5 matched GENU-
INE DIAMONDS.
A rare bargain.

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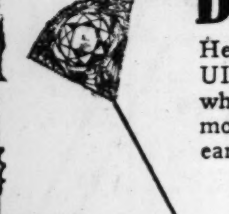


The buttons are entirely SOLID
GOLD. Some of them are platinum
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signs—large diamond
and all-platinum
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The Ring is entirely SOLID
GOLD—the GENUINE DIA-
MOND is a full-cut stone, full of
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\$19.

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full-cut GENUINE DIAMONDS—a
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Diamond Onyx Ring

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INSULL REPORTED TO HAVE BOUGHT EASTERN UTILITIES

New York Times Declares He Has Purchased Control of National Public Service Co.
By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The New York Times says Samuel Insull, Chicago utility magnate, has acquired control of the National Public Service Corporation.

The Times thus interprets an announcement that E. H. Rollin & Sons and Home, Snow & Co. had completed arrangements for the purchase of National Public Service stock held by the United Gas Improvement Co. and Day & Zimmerman, Inc.

The National Public Service Corporation was formerly a unit of the A. E. Pitkin utilities which Insull has taken over since the retirement of Pitkin. The National Electric Power Co., which the Insull interests acquired a year ago, will take over management of the public service concern from Day & Zimmerman, Inc. It was announced.

The National Public Service Corporation has utility properties in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia, Florida and West Virginia.

STATE DEMANDS DEATH PENALTY FOR BIRMINGHAM

Case Given to the Jury at Conclusion of Arguments in Trial of Alleged Schou Slayer.

PRISONER'S FAMILY WEEPS AT SPEECH

Defendant Offers Alibi and Denies Knowing Yeager, Convicted as His Partner in This Crime.

"Hang him high and drop him low! Give him the rope!" This was the demand made today by the jury in the murder case against Maurice Birmingham in the speech of Al Stack, Assistant Circuit Attorney. The case was given to the jury at 4 p. m. Birmingham, mother and three sisters were weeping in the courtroom during Stack's address to the jury, and this caused the prosecutor to observe that "sympathy is not needed in this case. What is needed is an undertaking." He said he did not blame Birmingham's family for having sought to aid him by testimony, and that the prisoner alone should be blamed for the family's present distress.

Stack said the evidence showed that Birmingham had led and directed the holdup at Swedish Hall, 1159 South Kingshighway, at 10:45 p. m., Nov. 17, 1926, in the course of which Leonard Yeager, fatally shot, George Schou, elderly tailor, Yeager is under sentence of death. Under the law and the Court's instructions, both participants in a robbery are equally guilty of a murder committed in the execution of their plan.

The Court's instructions directed the jury to find Birmingham guilty of first-degree murder, assess the death penalty, or life imprisonment, or to acquit him. A verdict finding him guilty in a lesser degree would not be accepted. Three witnesses testified that Birmingham ordered Yeager, who fired the fatal shot, to "get" Schou, who had chance to look into the hall while the robbery was in progress.

Instead of the insanity defense which had been expected, Birmingham's lawyer, Verne R. C. Lay, yesterday offered alibi testimony, to the effect that Birmingham was in a saloon in Venice, Ill., at the time of the robbery and murder. Birmingham, testifying for himself, denied having known Yeager.

Witnesses Support Alibi. Two witnesses, Albert L. Ballinger and Frank Gillen, testified to having seen Birmingham at Witte's saloon in Venice, from 9 p. m. to 12:30 a. m. the night of the murder. Ballinger said he recalled the meeting when he read, soon afterward, of Birmingham's arrest on the murder charges. He went to was said by either of them about see Birmingham in jail, but nothing the meeting in Venice, or Ballinger's ability to give alibi testimony for Birmingham.

Gillen said he had been at the Venice saloon with Ballinger and Birmingham. It was developed that Gillen had served two workhouse terms. Another defense witness, Everett Weeks of 1404 South Compton avenue, testified that he had happened in just at the time of the holdup in Swedish Hall, and that neither of the robbers looked like Birmingham. Weeks said he had once been sentenced to the workhouse for embezzlement, but had been paroled. His name had not appeared previously as a witness of the robbery.

Members of Birmingham's family, now living in University City, testified that he was at home on the evening preceding the murder, though not on that night.

Alibi Contradicted. To rebut this testimony, the State called Jack Prentice of Caseyville, who said he was running a "home brew joint" in East St. Louis at the time, and that Birmingham was at his place the night of the murder with Yeager, and that the two were there together on each of the three or four days before the murder. On the night of the murder, Prentice said, the two left at 8 p. m. and returned at midnight, and "split some money." At that time, he said, Birmingham flourished a revolver and ordered him, Prentice, to lie on the floor, but did not try to rob him.

Yeager was sent in from the City Jail, and was identified by Prentice. The witness said Birmingham drove a Chrysler sedan. Birmingham and his family said he had a Nash, but that car has not been shown, and his explanation is that he left it in front of the house and did not know what had become of it. Birmingham's confession, made in East St. Louis after his arrest, and read to the jury, states that he stole a Chrysler in Chicago and took it here.

Birmingham charged the East St. Louis police, and one St. Louis detective, with abusing him in order to get his confession. The policemen he accused were called, and denied his charges. The prisoner said he signed the confession supposing it to be a waiver of extradition. The policemen said he was shown clearly what he was signing and that he signed each page of the typewritten confession.

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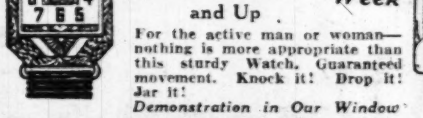
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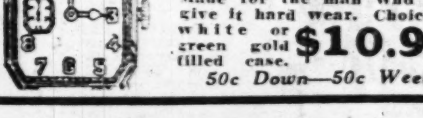
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FRANCO-GERMAN DYE PACT

BERLIN, Dec. 16.—An agreement between the German dye industry and the French chemical industry has been signed at Frankfurt-am-Main. A communique will be issued tomorrow.

It has been understood in German financial circles that the agreement would deal with prices and possibly an allocation of markets. It is not expected to comprehend any close co-operation in the science of production.

800 Taken From Postoffice.

CARONVILLE, Ill., Dec. 16.—Eighty escaped with \$40 in cash and stamps when the postoffice at Round Knob, 50 miles southeast of here in Massac County, was robbed Wednesday night.

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Members of Lower Chamber Prevented by Order of Governor From Meeting With Senate.

3 COURT RULINGS AGAINST LEGISLATURE

When Supreme Justices Refuse to Sit as Head of Impeachment Body, Senator Is Selected to Preside.

By the Associated Press.
OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., Dec. 16.—National Guardsmen today again were stationed at entrances to the State Senate Chamber by Gov. Henry S. Johnston, preventing members of the House of Representatives from accepting the invitation of the Senate to meet in its rooms.

Eleven witnesses testified today before an investigating committee of the House, which has announced that it is contemplating bringing a seventh impeachment charge, that of moral turpitude, against Gov. Johnston.

The committee met in a downtown hotel room.

Some of the testimony developed related to the personal conduct of the Governor.

Among those examined were Attorney-General Edwin Dabey and Kirby Fitzpatrick, brother of Kirby Fitzpatrick, whose appointment as attorney for the State Banking Department was the subject of one impeachment charge already presented to the Senate.

"There is a court order enjoining the members of the House of Representatives from meeting as such and I expect the court order to be obeyed," Johnston said yesterday.

Justices Won't Preside.

After refusing to reconsider an opinion that the Legislature lacked power to convoke itself, the State Supreme Court members individually declined to preside over the Senate court, as provided by the Constitution.

A more spectacular test resulted when E. R. Lewis, resident of Oklahoma City, walked into the Senate Chamber wearing his hat and shouted—"This isn't a court of impeachment. The Supreme Court has just held it is not."

Lewis was placed under technical arrest on a charge of contempt and fined \$100. When he appealed to the State Criminal Court of Appeals for a writ of habeas corpus, the presiding judge refused to issue the writ. The court held Lewis admittedly placed himself in contempt to make a test case.

Three district court judges, known as "The Little Supreme Court," then returned an opinion that the Legislature was illegally in session. This court had been appointed to pass on an injunction sought by Johnston to prevent the House from voting impeachment charges, but it took no official cognizance of this angle.

Senate Adjourns Till Dec. 28.

Assured that none of the Supreme Court judges would head the court of impeachment, the Senate named Mac Q. Williamson, president pro tempore. It then adjourned until Dec. 28, subject, however, to the call of Senate Williamson before that date.

Adjournment was taken, Williamson explained, to summon witnesses and otherwise prepare for the trials of Johnston and Chief Justice Fred Branson of the State Supreme Court and Harry B. Cordell, president of the State Board of Agriculture, the other officials named in bills of impeachment.

\$336,000 MORE FOR LAND FOR MEMORIAL PLAZA SITE

Citizens' Bond Committee Approves the Purchase of Five Pieces of Property.

Purchase by the city of five additional pieces of property in the Memorial Plaza site for a total of \$336,000 was approved by the Citizens' Bond Issue Supervisory Committee yesterday.

Included in the factory of the Herkert & Meisel Trunk Co., 1215 Chestnut street, owned by the Ruf estate and leased to the company until Jan. 1, 1933, at \$15,000 a year. This will cost \$205,000 on condition that the lease be continued for its full term. Associate City Counselor Phillips said it was unlikely the city would be ready to develop that part of the plaza for seven years. This property fronts 225 feet on Chestnut street and is 51 feet deep.

Purchase of the following other pieces also was approved by the committee: 1319 and 1424-26-28 Chestnut street for \$30,000; 1419 Pine street for \$29,000; 1312 Market street for \$19,000 and 1232-25 Market street for \$52,000.

Woman Robbed in Home.

Mrs. Sarah Margulis, today reported that at 10:30 a. m. a man who had represented himself as a vacuum cleaner salesman forced his way into her home at 1327A Goodfellow avenue, held her up and took from her \$11 in cash and jewelry worth \$1000. The latter was insured.

CLEARED OF DRUNKEN DRIVING

Horace B. Harper, a salesman, 3017 Lafayette avenue, was discharged by Judge Gayer yesterday on an appeal charge of driving while intoxicated. He had been fined \$100 and sentenced to 30 days in the Workhouse on Nov. 30 in Police Court.

Harper said he refused to take the tests usually administered at City Hospital to persons suspected of being intoxicated when he was arrested Nov. 1, after his machine figured in a collision. Some of these tests Judge Gayer recently ruled were not proof of drunkenness, in his opinion.

17 INJURED IN TRAIN WRECK NEAR ST. PAUL

Chicago & Great Western "Red Bird" Hits Switch Engine When Diverted by Snow.

By the Associated Press.
ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 16.—Seventeen persons were injured when the "Red Bird," Chicago & Great Western passenger train, collided with a switch engine at South Park, a suburb, last night. The injured were brought to hospitals here. Two were reported to be in a serious condition.

The train was enroute from Rochester to the Twin Cities. It carried about 75 passengers. The accident occurred during a snowstorm, when the passenger train followed orders to use the southbound track, instead of the northbound which was blocked by snow. The switch engine moved into the train on the occupied track.

EAST ST. LOUIS COMMUNITY FUND CAMPAIGN ENDS TONIGHT

Pledges Reported Up to Yesterday Totaled \$45,500; Goal Set at \$75,000.

The Community Chest campaign in East St. Louis will close tonight with a dinner given for workers of the campaign by the Chamber of Commerce. Hope that the quota of \$75,000 would be reached today, was expressed by leaders of the drive despite the fact that only \$45,500 had been reported yesterday.

Contributions recorded yesterday included \$1062 from school teachers and \$750 from the Fairmount Jockey Club. The Special Gifts Committee reported pledges of \$5637 received yesterday and Wednesday. Donations from several industrial plants and a number of firms whose headquarters are out of East St. Louis are expected to swell today's receipts.

Fall on Concrete Walk Kills Man.
BENTON, Ill., Dec. 16.—Andrew Harris of Zeigler came to his death Wednesday night by falling on a concrete walk, according to the coroner's verdict.

CHRISTMAS CARDS—A BIG ASSORTMENT

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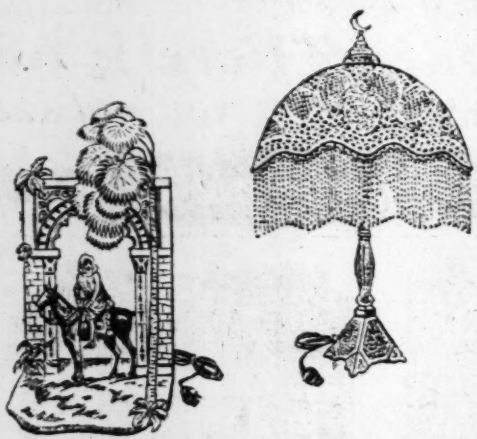
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DUNGY PRESENTS ALIBI IN WORSHAM MURDER

Alleged Leader in Killing Dennis He Was Member of Birger Gang.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MARION, Ill., Dec. 6.—Harvey Dundy, alleged leader in the murder of Lyle Forshaw, went on the stand here this morning and denied all connection with the crime, even to being a member of the Birger gang. He left the stand without cross-examination by the State.

Clarence Rone, a State witness, who identified Dundy and told how he helped in the murder, had, according to Dundy, threatened to "frame me for the Worshaw case, because I reported on the Price murders."

Dundy alleged that he had done some work for the State Highway Police in ferreting out the murder of Highway Patrolman Lory Price and wife. He also alleged that Rone threatened to blow up his filling station near West Frankfort and that a month later it was blown up. Wayne Sprague, who alleged on the stand that Dundy confessed the murder to him, was "sore at me because I ran him out of business near West Frankfort," the witness said.

Dundy admitted "running a little alcohol" and visiting the Birger cabin, but denied ever being a member of the Birger gang or ever

having ridden in an automobile with Birger, except one time. Complete denials of killing Worshaw or helping kill him or burning his body, of kidnapping him at Zeigler or being in Franklin or Williamson County at that time, and a claim that he had never known Worshaw finished his testimony.

As he left the stand without cross-examination he said, "That's what I expected."

A surprise came this afternoon, when Bert Scobey, Marion undertaker, testified that he examined the body taken from the fire of the abandoned building, where the State alleges Worshaw was burned. Scobey said he was certain it was that of a woman.

Guy Roberts, Jimmy Watson and Shirley Kennedy, all held in jail on minor charges, testified they heard both Rone and Sprague tell Dundy that they would "frame him, if necessary."

Sidney Dundy, brother of Harvey Dundy, a Constable living in Marion, said that Sept. 13, the day after the murder, he drove to Harvey's father-in-law to tell his brother that he had got a job for him at a coal mine near Marion.

Mrs. Jean Carman, mother-in-law of Dundy, said Harvey came to her home near McLeansboro Sept. 16, his birthday, and stayed several days assisting his father-in-law out corn all day Sept. 17, staying there all night and the next day. Her husband gave the same testimony.

Joe Booher, another defendant, also presented an alibi. Witnesses said he was at his home in Indiana when the murder was committed.

Booher took the witness stand yesterday and testified that he was

never a member of the Charlie Birger gang and that he never knew Birger. He related that he had been employed by Teddy Newrock, a Birger partisan, to assist in the operation of the notorious "County Line" roadhouse near West Frankfort, but that he was employed there only during the month of May, 1926.

He attempted to prove that he was running a bootleg resort in Benton under the protection of Mayor Joe Adams of West City, for whose murder Birger is under sentence of death and Harry Thomason is serving a life sentence in Chester penitentiary. This testimony was introduced to show that Booher was working under the protection of the Shelton gang, or, as Booher's attorney called it, "the Adams gang," and therefore could not have been a member of the Birger gang.

Booher denied that he was ever friendly with Dundy or Thomason, and declared that he was a close friend of the murdered man.

Mrs. Mary Booher, mother of the defendant; W. E. Booher, his father; Mildred Booher, another sister; William Booher, a brother; and Viers Lash, an electrician from Linton, testified that Booher was in Linton at the time of the killing.

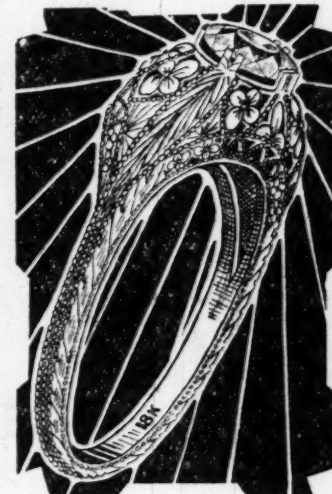
"Under Cover" Man Lands in Jail.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 16.—S. E. Worrell, under-cover man for the police dry squad here, was so successful at keeping his identity a secret that he got himself in jail. Disguised as a laborer, Worrell was arrested for carrying a revolver. Despite his protests, he was kept in a cell until the dry squad chief, the only officer who knew him, heard about it and let him out.

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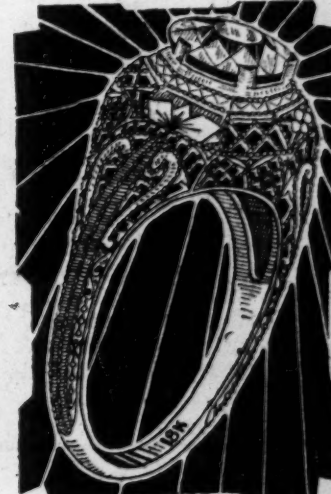
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Tim Caps Are Gifts Boys Would Like—Second Floor

A Canary Bird Would Please Someone—Basement Gallery

Overcoats

And Two-Trouser Suits in Two Feature Groups That Bring Splendid Savings at

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This pre-holiday period is just the right time for securing your Winter outfit... Whatever your particular clothes needs may be you'll find them anticipated in these all-embracing assortments... The new approved college styles and the more conservative types for men. They're here, too. And the excess values available to you make immediate selection very urgent.

Two-Trouser Suits in single and double-breasted styles... Winter Overcoats in the wanted models... Capably tailored of excellent fabrics... Clothes that will satisfy and give lasting service.



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\$5.95 to \$27.50

You'll be well rewarded for your thoughtfulness in giving one of these Jackets by the gratitude of the one who receives it... It means gentlemanly comfort to him in idle hours... From this varied showing you can select the one he'll like best.

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Choose practical gifts from this collection... things that are bound to receive approval by "him."

- Knit Vests in fancy colorings... \$4.75
- Smart Wool Golf Knickers... \$5 to \$9.50
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- Slicker Leatherette Raincoats... \$4.95 to \$20
- Full Dress Suits and Tuxedos... \$35 to \$75
- Burberry Imported English Ulsters range from... \$55 to \$100

Tuxedos Very Special

\$35

Now—at the beginning of the Holiday festivities you will want to be faultlessly attired... This is an unusual Tuxedo Suit value. Tailored of a fine grade of worsteds in the herringbone weave, and finished in the best manner. Models for men and young men.

Men's Clothing Section—Second Floor



Men's Beaver Hats

\$7.00

Soft distinctive beaver Hats... an obvious compliment to a man's discerning taste... Select your color... shape it as you will. It will "tune in" with your personality.

Other Hats and Fur Caps... \$4 to \$25 Main Floor



New Footwear

A Decided Favorite... \$8



This new Blucher Oxford has developed from the most favored footwear fashions, and it will score decisively this season. To be had in tan or black calfskin or black grain leather. Rugged, comfortable, dressy.

Second Floor

Brunswick Tables

Are Extremely Popular Gifts

\$15

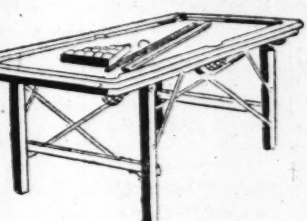
Billiard Tables... very well made... with scientifically scaled-down tops... complete with all playing equipment... in 20x40-inch size. Fun for the whole family... and compact enough for the smallest home!

\$4.00 Boxing Gloves Of wine-colored leather... with cuffs and grips in black! Filled with genuine cured hair and well made, pair... \$3.29

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In search of the "right" Christmas Present for that most important Girl? The items mentioned are a few of the many things from our large, carefully chosen assortments.

Diamond Bracelets

Regularly \$375 \$500 to \$600

A regal gift... for your "Queen of Hearts" fine platinum... exquisitely wrought... and studded with gorgeous diamonds... some combined with real emeralds... in artistic design!

A beautiful Solitaire Diamond... set in a lacy mounting of white gold... is a most acceptable gift... and is only... \$100

A Diamond Wrist Watch... regularly \$175... is of richly engraved platinum... in the winged style... completely studded with diamonds combined with replica sapphires... \$100

\$237.50 Diamond Bar Pin is skillfully designed of platinum... and set with 19 diamonds and 4 replica sapphires... for... \$195 \$345 to \$365 Solitaire Diamond Rings... have single... flashing stones... and white gold mountings of unusual beauty... at... \$309

Deferred Payments May Be Arranged Main Floor

Caron's "Nuit De Noel"

Artistically Bottled \$27.50

What better Christmas gift than a bottle of the ravishingly lovely "Nuit de Noel" (Christmas night) Perfume. A graceful bottle of sophisticated black... in a container or palest green!

Caron's "Pois de Santeur" (Sweet Pea)

Caron's newest creation... with the ethereal, fragile loveliness of this most feminine flower... in a cut crystal bottle... with a stopper of clearest green... \$35

Main Floor

Beaded Bags

\$4.95 to \$37.95

Exquisitely fashioned... by European beadworkers... of the tiniest metal beads... gloriously colored... and subtly blended into patterns of rare beauty! Tiny compact ones for evening... and large ones for formal use... in drawing, envelope or metal frame styles!

Main Floor

Kid Gloves

Ideal Gifts, at... \$3.95

An assortment so excellent and so varied that satisfactory choice is assured! Beautifully made... of softest kid... in the novelty short cuff style... with pique seams... in all sizes and popular colors!

Lambskin Gloves, pair... \$2.65 Slip-on Gloves, pair... \$1.65

Main Floor

Gift Negligees

Of Quilted Silk, at... \$22.50

Soft... delightfully light and warm are these Robes of crepe de chine... in delicate pastel tints... lined with silk and satin... and interlined with lamb's wool! Other Negligees in our collection include frilly models... with laces and ostrich... Oriental creations... Robes of gleaming metallic cloth... and satin!

Other Negligees... offered for holiday selection include models for every type... from \$15 to \$85... Third Floor

The noted P-1 Panatope... with its electrically controlled operation... mellow quality of tone... and beauty of cabinet is a Christmas Gift Supreme! One which the whole family will enjoy for many, many days after this Christmas is forgotten!

Radio and Music Section—Sixth Floor

Gifts!—Mayboy Shirts

Prudent Gifts... \$2



and tailored just like dad's. Sizes 12 to 14½ neck.

Boys will be more than pleased with these excellent Shirts as gifts. White Dobby broadcloth and rayon novelty broadcloth in collar-attached style, patterned and tailored just like dad's. Sizes 12 to 14½ neck.

Leather Windbreakers

You'll see the wisdom of your selection when you present one of these plaid lined leather Jackets. Black or cordovan... \$12.95

Boys' Sport Sweaters

Every boy wants one of these V-neck Sweaters knitted of all wool yarns in various patterns and colors. 8 to 18 years... \$4.95

Boys' Furnishings Section—Second Floor

May Prep Suits

Clothes That Are Eagerly Sought by High School and College Youths

\$22.50



They're lucky fellows — the boys who receive these new college model two-trouser Suits as their Christmas gifts... and many will get them a little earlier to wear for the holidays and to school afterward... Single and double breasted types in fabrics that are neat and service giving. Sizes 12 to 20.

Yankiboy Play Suits

Cowboy Suits... \$2.50 to \$8.50 Indian Suits... \$1.45 to \$3.75 Policeman Suits... \$3.25 Traffic Cop Suits... \$4.95 and \$6.50 Camp Suits... \$3.75

May Jr. Suits

Utmost Value... \$1

Parents are as favorably impressed as the boys who wear the Suits when they learn what splendid value May Jr. gives. Excellent wearing qualities combined with careful tailoring and smart appearance. Sizes 6 to 15.

Chinchilla Overcoats

\$15

For gifts many will want these heavy warm German Chinchilla Coats for their boys... They mean full protection from Winter's cold... In gray, tan, brown or heather mixture. Ages 3 to 10.

Boys' Clothing Section—Second Floor

Music is an Ever-Welcome Gift... You'll Have Plenty With One of the



Deferred payments may be arranged if desired.

See Our Complete Display of Atwater Kent, Crosley, RCA and Freshman Radios—All Electric

The New "Trav-ler" Portable

Regularly \$84.25... Completely Equipped

A complete and efficient Radio Set... at a price so exceptional that it defies duplication... portable... light, compact and complete... requiring no outside aerial, no outside speaker! Complete... and ready for use... at a price which makes it most desirable for gift selection!

New Radiolas

Two Excellent Models

Radiola 16 Radiola 17

In a Highboy Cabinet

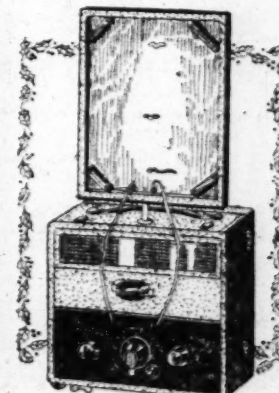
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The newest 6-tube... one-dial radio, ready to install at this price. The cabinet is a striking highboy model... in two-tone walnut... complete with Philco Socket Power which operates from the light socket!

All Electric

\$192.50

A most efficient set... employing the newer principles of radio reception... including the AC electric tubes which eliminate all batteries and eliminators!



Brunswick Phonographs... and Combinations

Distinctive Models at Extraordinary Savings

\$145 Prismatic, Navarre Model... \$72.50

\$600 Prismatic, Model BR-18, Are now... \$320

\$675 Panatope Radiola, \$287.50

\$150 Cordova Prismatic, with Radiola... \$225

Model P-1 Regularly \$400, Now... \$179

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PART TWO.

'Leave to Print'

Alexander Hamilton the Second and Big Business.

A Campaign Speech for the Ohio Foghorn.

Al Smith's Plan and the Cockpit Courts.

Power Trust Lobby After Muscle Shoals.

Pat Harrison, Democratic Wit, Takes a Licking.

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON, Of the Post-Dispatch Staff.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.

FEW DAYS AGO in this column, the writer, after sweating far into the night, produced both a campaign slogan and a nominating speech for Senator Willis, the Ohio foghorn, who is now running for the Republican nomination. A contributor has now rounded out the program by supplying the Senator with a campaign speech. It is:

"Well, you elected Harding, didn't you?"

Nothing more shocking has happened in years than the estrangement between the United States Chamber of Commerce on one hand and President Coolidge and Secretary Mellon on the other. It all grew out of the Chamber's demand for a reduction of \$400,000,000 in taxes (mostly for the big corporations), and the determination of the President and his Secretary of the Treasury to hold it to \$225,000,000. It has even reached the point where the Chamber is questioning the accuracy of the figures of the man whom it was canonizing just a year ago as "the greatest Secretary of the Treasury since Alexander Hamilton."

The suggestion has been made publicly that maybe Andrew and Calvin have succumbed to the insidious influence of Bolshevik propaganda from Moscow.

A good many biting things are said around the cloakrooms of Congress, because Congressmen are apt to disagree personally as well as politically, but the most acrid observation which this writer has heard for some years was that made by one Representative about another recently. He said: "Such time as the gentleman has left from the adornment of his person, he devotes to the neglect of his duties."

The thing which seems to distinguish Al Smith from most other men in public life is his intelligence. It is reported that he dropped in on a meeting of the Penal Board at Albany a few days ago. While there he took occasion to remark that he was in favor of depriving Judges of the power to pronounce sentences in criminal cases, and was in favor of giving it to a board composed of three scientists, who would make a technical study of the prisoner's life, his habits and his mind, and prescribe a judgment based on that data.

This is precisely what humanitarians and psychologists have been advocating for many years, but it is odd to hear a politician utter it. Clarence Darrow has said that the courts, instead of being laboratories where trained men ascertain the cause for men's actions and prescribe the proper remedy, are merely cockpits for lawyers to fight in, with the Judge acting as referee, seeing that the exhibition is conducted according to the rules, and then awarding the victory to the one that scores the most points. Anyone who is familiar with courts knows how true that is.

There have been lobbies in Washington in times past, but never anything like the one which the Power Trust has installed here for this session of Congress. The purpose is to grab off Muscle Shoals, block the public development of the Boulder Dam project, kill Senator Walsh's resolution for an investigation of Power Trust financing, and to oppose all efforts to have the Government produce and sell electric current from its natural power sites. The lobby contains a former member of Roosevelt's Cabinet, lawyers, engineers, entertainers, publicity agents, and almost every kind of wire-puller that can be useful. The whole estimate of the cost of maintaining it is \$25,000 a month. And the thing is brazen in its openness.

To make things easier for it, Senator Walsh has been suffering from an infected eye which has kept him out of the Senate except for a few minutes, and simultaneously Senator Norris, who thus far has been able to prevent the Alabama Power Co. from making off with Muscle Shoals, is taken to bed with rheumatism. Nature seems to have acceded to the lure of the lobby. Nevertheless, with the Power Trust holding the balance of power in the Senate to an extent never attained even in the lifetime of the elder La Follette, the lobby will have hard sledding there this winter.

Senator Pat Harrison, the Democratic wit, saved the Republican arguments the other day for having agreed to vote with the re-

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THE POST-DISPATCH PLATFORM

I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles; that it will always fight for progress or reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent; never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Van Hoogstraten.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
THIS past week the musical public of St. Louis had a distinguished guest—Mr. Van Hoogstraten, who conducted our symphony concerts.

Over a year ago I heard him conduct a wonderful concert at the Hollywood Bowl, and awaited with avidity those we have just attended. They were glorious indeed. Mr. Van Hoogstraten is undoubtedly an artist in the very finest sense of the word. He has the inspiration, the inner gift of the musician, but in addition he also possesses the more obvious knowledge and finish of the scholar. We have heard numerous conductors here, some of whom possess one of these qualities, some the other, but rarely indeed is the combination to be found. This man has the live spark. No wonder he galvanized his musicians into such united and vivid response, proving beyond a doubt what can be done with proper leadership. Our orchestra has had good training, but this past week it played under a man who released the best that was in the individual members, and to a man they arose with fervor to the opportunity. In all the years I have been a confirmed concert goer, I have never heard our orchestra play with such depth of understanding and spontaneous enjoyment. The difference was magical, and accomplished in but a very few days!

The appreciation of the musicians was most apparent, as was also that of the audience, but I cannot help feeling that our truly gifted visitor must have been considerably dashed and no little discouraged by the reviews of his efforts. He was really offered an affront in return for his beautiful gift, and I feel also that the music lovers who heard the concert share in this. If instead of intelligent reviews we are to have mere carping criticism, calculated to arouse amusement, and which does not even approach the subject in hand, how can we expect to have musicians outside our own home limits rate us as musically intelligent? After having had the privilege of having such a man in our midst, and hearing his vital message, I for one protest against standing back of the published estimates. No can I have thought for one moment that they represent musical St. Louis.

FLORENCE W. RICHARDSON USHER.

How to Classify 'Em.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
EVERY time some of the so-called rebels in Nicaragua are murdered, the slaughter is reported as "a surprise attack." This makes the classification of rebels ridiculously easy. A rebel is any dead Nicaraguan who was shot in the back, just as any one shot in the back by a prohibition agent was resisting arrest or something.

PURE PATRIOT.

Poses for Cochran.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
IN your admirable editorial commending Congressman Celler of New York for introducing a bill to repeal the Federal statute punishing the transportation of prize fight films in interstate commerce, you should also have offered a hearty toast to Congressman John J. Cochran of St. Louis, because the press dispatches from Washington describing the opening of Congress carried the news that one of the first bills placed in the hopper was a bill by Representative Cochran for the repeal of this absurd piece of legislation.

I might say in passing that it was the ever alert and indefatigable Representative of the Eleventh Missouri District, who proposed the resolution conferring the Congressional Medal on Col. Lindbergh.

M. J. MC.

Life Nets.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
I WISH to inquire why the Fire Department did not use its life nets at the Eucklingham disaster. The nets have played a great part in the tests of rookies at the school of instruction and public exhibitions. But here on a serious occasion they were not put into actual service when they might have saved lives which were lost and prevented injuries.

J. B. SEMLAH.

The Lindbergh Fountain.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
IT IS with deepest regret that my family—and many friends—have read of the decision of the committee for that purpose, to erect a fountain as a tribute to Col. Lindbergh. Were our contributions of enough moment, we would most certainly withdraw them—but I am glad to say they are not.

It ill befits the people of the adopted home town of such a great public benefactor to consider his feelings in the matter as such a trivial thing, not to use this amount of money—which I feel would have been much larger had his friends been assured it would be used for an aviation purpose—for the safety of his comrades.

Anyone interested in this matter knows the perils and risks these men take under the best conditions, and they would welcome an opportunity like the present to install a device along these lines.

MAY PRICE ALLEN.

MISSOURI'S HIGHWAY CRISIS.

The State Highway Commission has rejected the Automobile Club's \$120,000,000 road bond proposal and recommended, instead, a \$60,000,000 bond issue, which will officially sponsor and undertake to put over it.

A forthcoming statement is promised which will analyze the situation and outline the program to be carried through with this financing. Judgment must in fairness be reserved pending that statement. Meanwhile the Automobile Club, through discussion of its \$120,000,000 plan, has gone into the subject analytically and presented conditions as to construction and finance which, we believe, have greatly impressed public opinion throughout the State.

The Automobile Club's \$120,000,000 project is predicated on the road needs of Missouri today as viewed in the light of traffic developments in the past five years, the State's experience in this industry of road building, and our financial resources.

The Automobile Club insists that \$120,000,000 will be required to meet our imperative transportation needs within a reasonable period—"within the life of the present generation."

Those pressing needs are: Adequate outlets for the cities. A 4000-mile system of farm-to-market roads for the country.

The Automobile Club declares that a \$60,000,000 bond issue will not provide for those needs. This additional money will, it is conceded, enable the Highway Commission to maintain its present scale of operation and to complete the present State system of 7640 miles in four or five years. But that system, it is asserted, will not solve the problem of the cities or provide the roads which the farmers of Missouri must have.

It is unnecessary to say that the Automobile Club speaks with authority on this subject. It has specialized in it. It has been at the forefront of our road battles. It campaigned every foot of Missouri for the original \$60,000,000 issue. It was the decisive factor, we think, in securing the adoption of Amendment No. 5, which increased the registration fee and levied the gasoline tax and saved the road program.

Let it be remembered, too, that the Automobile Club has never disbursed one penny of that money. It has no authority, and never will have, to direct the expenditure of one penny of the \$120,000,000 bond issue. So it cannot honestly or decently be characterized as a selfish interest. Implication to that effect is grossly unfair. The expression, "a five-year road drunk," with which a former member of the Highway Commission is reported to have stigmatized the \$120,000,000 bond project, compels us to say just this: The Automobile Club, so far as we know, has no more selfish interest in that project than the Post-Dispatch has.

The distressing feature of the present situation is that Missouri, for the first time in its splendid road-building history, will be a house divided against itself. We shall have two propositions before us in the 1928 election. The Automobile Club's \$120,000,000 project; the State Highway Commission's \$60,000,000 issue. That fine unity of leadership will be gone. We shall have a contest where we ought to have a crusade.

What will be the outcome? Which will win—the Automobile Club or the Highway Commission? Will neither win? Will both lose? And when it is all over shall we be where we are now—reduced to the necessity of crawling slowly and laboriously on the pay-as-you-go plan?

That result will mean disaster. It will mean that completion of the present system will be postponed from 10 to 15 years, and when completed will be quite inadequate. It will mean that Missouri will have forfeited her high place among the competent, progressive road-building states and slipped away a brilliant future that was well within her grasp.

The State Highway Commission, in our judgment, should reconsider its latest decision, and thoroughly canvass the whole situation, in all its aspects and possibilities, before incurring the risk of doing Missouri an incalculable injury and ending its own career ingloriously.

THE NEWBERRY BUGABOO.

Senators Curtis and Willis, both aspirants to the discarded mantle of Mr. Coolidge, are not forgetting what happened to the Newberry Senators. That bugaboo stalks about the Senate halls with the heavy tread of the Gods of the Mountain.

We therefore witness the strange spectacle of the Republican leader in the Senate and the man who introduced the resolution seating Newberry both voting to exclude Smith and Vane.

They who hope to live in the White House have no intention of dying at the primary polls in Ohio or Kansas.

WHY WE FIGHT PROHIBITION.

The most striking paragraph in Dr. Butler's searching discussion of the eighteenth amendment in his St. Louis address, it seems to us, was this:

"The least important question is liquor. The important question is government, social order, public morals, constitutional and permanent solution of the evils of the saloon and the liquor traffic."

Prohibition extremists will not accept that statement as sincere. They do not believe it is humanly possible to oppose this amendment on the ground of a genuine concern for public morals and for the security of our form of government. They believe, and their spokesmen assert, that opponents of prohibition are bad people who want to guzzle liquor and don't care a rap about the country, or the Government or the well-being of men and women.

Doubtless many opponents of prohibition are actuated by no motive other than that they want their booze. But were the opposition to prohibition confined to such persons the eighteenth amendment would today be truly the law of the land. Every informed citizen knows that it is not. Every informed citizen knows that Dr. Butler stated the truth when he said that nullification is proceeding so fast that this amendment may be a dead letter before it is repealed.

Thoughtful citizens look upon this situation with anxiety. They behold nation-wide lawlessness in which every class of society participates. They see the cause of temperance, which was progressing so finely, halted and driven back. They see the hypocrisy of politicians and political parties behind what Dr. Butler calls "the papier mache bulwark of law enforcement." They know that this amendment can never be enforced except by the nullification of the Bill of Rights. They know its enforcement means the destruction of our constitutional government and the establishment of a centralized bureaucracy under

which no trace of liberty as we have known it will survive.

That is why Dr. Butler is fighting this deadly adventure. That is why the Post-Dispatch is fighting it, and will continue to fight it until the ravished Constitution is restored.

THE HEARST SCANDAL.

It is unlikely that the four members of the United States Senate whose names have been made public in connection with the questionable Mexican documents published by the Hearst papers will content themselves with Hearst's confession before a Senate investigating committee that he does not believe they ever received any money from the Mexican Government.

No one, not even Hearst, has ever believed it. After all, a good name is proof against calumny, and the reputations of the four accused Senators are sufficient defense against the accusation that for their support in the United States the Mexican Government paid them \$1,215,000. That is, to Senator Borah of Idaho, \$500,000; to Senators Norris of Nebraska and Heflin of Alabama, \$350,000 each; and to Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, \$15,000.

It is almost too asinine to call it a scandal. Nevertheless, its significance is serious enough. The Senate reflects almost every variety of opinion held in the country upon public issues; and it is essential to the well-being of the republic that the reputation of its members, like that of Caesar's wife, should be above suspicion.

For Hearst to admit upon the witness stand that he looked to an investigation to bring out the names of the accused men in ways safe to himself, after publishing for weeks in 26 newspapers anonymous charges against them, is a damaging admission. It shows to what lengths his unscrupulous practices extend when they are impelled by hatred. Hearst is an interventionist. He wants the United States to march upon Mexico and set her house in order. He is the owner of extensive holdings there, and he has been in difficulties with the Mexican Government over some of these. Like Harry Sinclair, who has shown the country how wealth begets arrogance and in some instances carries men beyond both law and decency, Hearst is eager to find something that will damage not Mexico alone but men in powerful places who befriended her in the United States.

His eagerness to discover something of this sort led to the mare's nest now on exhibition in Washington. It made him the dupe of a band of forgers. Not even the gullible Mr. Kellogg, who swallowed the fiction that bolshevism was rampant south of the Rio Grande, fell for these clumsy forgeries. The scandal will not damage the four Senators, as it will not in our opinion injure the cause of Mexico in the United States. If that cause were so weak that it had to be bolstered by bribery it would not have a worth-while friend in either the United States Senate or the United States.

TAUSSIG ON THE TARIFF.

Prof. Taussig of Harvard earns the right to discuss the tariff by study and experience extending over many years. He has written several books on the subject, from "Tariff History of the United States," published in 1888, to "Free Trade, the Tariff and Reciprocity," which appeared in 1919. As an authority on the subject, he presided over the United States Tariff Commission as its chairman from 1917 to 1919.

Theoretically, therefore, Prof. Taussig's opinion on present tariff rates is of much value. When he says the rates are too high, when he asks how far the protectionist policy is to be carried and how intolerant this country proposes to be "in the way of keeping out every scrap of imported goods that might interfere with any clamorous domestic producer," when he points to our inconsistency in soliciting export business while we erect impassable barriers against import business, one recognizes instantly that an important criticism is being made.

Let not the average citizen who is paying protectionist prices for everything, from breakfast food to nightgowns, however, become joyful with anticipation that something will be done about it. Tariff policies are not made by Harvard professors, but by practical men like Messrs. Payne and Aldrich, Fordney and McCumber, working in conjunction with other practical men who represent big industry. They are content to let Prof. Taussig write tariff books if they are only allowed to write tariff schedules.

RUSSIA OVERPLAYS HER HAND.

Russian diplomacy has again overplayed its hand. Now it is Nationalist China which does what England did a few months back. The Shanghai government has presented the Soviet Consul-General with his passports, and given him a week's notice to leave.

Thus the inability of Russian diplomats to forget that they belong to the Third International has led their country to another disaster of considerable magnitude. It is, perhaps, the greatest diplomatic disaster the Soviets have suffered, because it means the loss of an ally. A recent bulletin issued by the American Committee for Fair Play in China attests to this relationship between the two nations. It shows that Russia has made great contributions to the Nationalist cause. She has given considerable ammunition and some money. She has supplied advisers to both the army and government. What did she apparently hope to gain from this aid? The bulletin offers a quite reasonable answer:

First of all, it would seem, an independent and united China, friendly to Soviet Russia. As a friendly ally, China could control Japan and offer a broad barrier to European attacks against Russia from the Far East. Russia also wishes to secure trade for the Siberian coast, and to maintain her outlet to the Pacific.

But the Russians are apparently not content with merely increasing the security of their country. The bulletin from which we have quoted ends with a warning:

If Russia continues her friendly attitude towards China, and does not destroy the confidence of the Chinese people by trying to alter the normal course of the Chinese Nationalism, these two vast countries will undoubtedly co-operate for mutual protection and economic benefit.

Surely a prophetic warning! Russia, having failed to heed it, has lost an ally. Perhaps, if the Soviets are thus awakened to their folly, the price will not be too great. They should realize that it is not capitalism, but their own diplomacy, which is isolating Russia.

William Randolph Hearst admits that he did not believe the "documents" his papers printed, which probably makes public opinion unanimous.



"HOIST" WITH HIS OWN PETARD.

The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

LINDBERGH IN MEXICO.

LINDBERGH has done it again, and the United States, which lost its head so completely over him when he returned from Paris last summer, can understand the frenzy of enthusiasm that swept over Mexico on his arrival there yesterday. There is nobody quite like Lindbergh, and no country need feel ashamed if it loses its head over him when he comes down out of the skies for a visit.

But those of us who remember a little further back than last summer will be gratified by yesterday's demonstration, and perhaps a little relieved by it, for coldly sober reasons.

It was just 11 months since Secretary Kellogg appeared before a committee of the Senate and charged that a Bolshevik government in Mexico threatened the peace of the United States. The last note dispatched by the State Department had warned Mexico of "the extremely critical situation" which threatened to develop between the two countries. There was talk in Washington of breaking off relations. A dispatch to the Herald Tribune on Jan. 7 had carried a warning of the "danger of actual hostilities." Today, 11 months later, there is no talk either of actual hostilities or of breaking off relations. The Mexican Government, which was a Bolshevik threat in January is the same Mexican Government with which a new Ambassador has succeeded in establishing unusually cordial relations. And all Mexico is cheering Lindbergh.

The change which is recorded by these facts is much more than a surface change. The flight of Lindbergh follows a series of events which indicate a real shift in sentiment and a thoroughgoing change of policy. In reality the turn came almost on the day that Secretary Kellogg filed his sensational charges with the Senate. Alarmed by the real danger that the United States was drifting into war with Mexico, those Americans who were opposed to war began mobilizing opinion throughout the country.

First from the States, labor unions and civic organizations of all kinds poured in on Washington in an amazing demonstration of a will toward peace. On Jan. 25 the Senate voted, 79 to 0, in favor of arbitration of our dispute with Mexico. Two months later came a personal interview between the President and the Mexican Ambassador. On April 25 Mr. Coolidge was able to tell the country: "I am confident . . . that it will surely be possible to reach an amicable adjustment." Since that time relations between the two countries have steadily improved. The appointment of an American Ambassador to Mexico capable of appreciating a Mexican point of view has been followed by a decision of the Mexican Supreme Court interpreting the disputed oil laws in a manner favorable to the United States. Now comes Lindbergh's errand of good will and an amazing response in Mexico.

Two people live side by side on the same continent, separated by a narrow river. They are very different people, racially and temperamentally. That there will be times when they find it difficult to understand

one another is a foregone conclusion. There will continue to be disputes. The trouble makers will continue to do their best to take advantage of them. But when a situation heading unmistakably toward war can be changed in 11 months to a situation in which there is new confidence on both sides, plus something approaching friendship, it is possible to face the future with faith that understanding on both sides will grow and that no situation prove so desperate that trouble cannot be avoided.

Senator Borah's phrase is advice well worth remembering as Lindbergh reaches Mexico: "God has made us neighbors; let justice make us friends."

AIRPLANE TAXI SERVICE.

From the St. Joseph News-Press.
THE airplane must now be added to the nation's formidable list of transportation services. St. Joseph is right in line, of course. In a directory of taxi planes, appearing in the Nov. 19 issue of Air Transportation, weekly commercial aviation journal, more than 60 such enterprises are listed. The prediction is made that within six months more than a thousand concerns in this country will be engaged in taxi flying. Air taxi fares are astonishingly low, considering the newness of this form of service. Thus, the Muncie (Ind.) Aerial Co. offers taxi service cross-country at 15 cents per mile, to any part of the United States or Canada. Freight is 5 cents per mile for 100 pounds. The Pioneer Flyers of Mason City, Ia., offer rates of 15 cents per mile each way for single passengers, 20 cents per mile for two passengers. After a while, as more and more young men take to aviation as a means of earning a living, and as prejudice to the hazards of air journeys is lessened, the rates will become cheaper still, and the plane a more popular vehicle of travel.

"THEY TOOK A CHANCE."

From the New York Post.
EARLY next spring, probably much too early for success or safety, the trans-Atlantic flyers will get ready for the great jump again. A great many persons, remembering the tragedies of last summer, will try to prevent a risk of life which strikes them as needless. There is bound to be some sort of regulation of these flights and we may expect public clamor to suppress them entirely, after the first casualties. We welcome regulation to prevent inexperienced flyers from taking off in inadequate planes on a thousand-to-one chance. But to forbid trans-Atlantic flights entirely, as the aviators themselves have reason to fear may happen, would be a mistake. We do not prevent people from crossing the street, riding in automobiles or washing windows, although these activities result in tens of thousands of deaths yearly and have none of the glory of discovery to recommend them. Our proudest achievements, our very lives and civilization, are founded on the bones of men who dared to take the first step and slipped. Our Western frontier marched forward over the graves of the takers of long chances who refused to believe they would be scalped or eaten by bears—and were wrong. Kind-hearted friends wanted to prevent Columbus from steering his little ship into the abyss at the edge of a flat world. If he had listened to them somebody else would have turned the trick instead.

JUST A MINUTE

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I Was Wounded in the House of My Friends.

SIR: (The salutation is purely a formality; you, certainly, can no longer do that amiable thing.) I read with deep interest your attack upon me relative to my preference for an electric train over a wind-up train, which you call it a mechanical train, the line of which you possess. I also noted your inference that I took you along to visit the perfectly beautiful display of electric trains because I lacked moral courage to enter an electric train station. Let me tell you I need no man's approval of my electric train meanderings. I want an electric train, and I am willing to stand the noble fust from the house tops. As to your preference for wind-up trains, it marks you as a mildewed old conservative. You are the sort of fellow who prefer coal stoves to a radiator; you probably wear an old-fashioned top hat, and during your vacations you have been acting at the Little Theater, Gloucester, Mass. She will take part in a Christmas pageant at St. John's Methodist Church, Kingshighway, and Washington boulevard, Sunday evening.

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Imaginary Conversations.

First Villain: Where are the other documents?
Second Villain: There are none; I accidentally upset the bottle of ink.

The army has rejected the proposed new rule for three-year eligibility. On the other hand, if the army did not use men who had played for three years, the army would have no team, anyway. The problem is decided, vexing.

An optimist is a man who consoles himself with the reflection that last year's Christmas tree ornaments probably are out of date anyway.

A consoling reflection is the thought that so far Senator Vane has not succeeded in setting a precedent.

Perhaps it would not be a bad idea to let the Ohio gang and the Indiana crowd be watching each other.

Literary Note.
Of the blindness of justice was Sincerely in doubt. And William J. Burns cast his shadow about.

According to rumors, we will not be able to recognize the Browns next year, though it cannot be said that recognizing them ever has been easy.

Nor, in passing, should we overlook the fact that so far none of the cigarette companies have held a national grand open contest.

The King of Italy, we learn, likes to play poker, and we were just wondering if there ever is any argument as to whether or not Mussolini anted up on the last hand.

One of life's saving graces is that when they still believe in Santa Claus they are too young to ask why there are so many of him.

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Verbes by the author of "Marching Orders." Here is a sample in lighter vein:

"Our epoch is a young rouse to take to toy with golden myths."

No Percy Shelleys grow today. But only Browns and Smiths. And yet the world is not so bad. Nor yet, thank God, so very

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THE A B C OF ESTHETICS. By Leo Stein. (Boni & Liveright).

Mr. Stein undertakes to explain in an orderly way the various artistic movements of our time and to set forth as a background for understanding them certain fundamental esthetic principles. It is an illuminating book.

STRENUOUS ITALY. By H. Nelson Gay. (Houghton Mifflin).

The writer, during more than 20 years of residence in Rome, has been occupied with the history and politics of Modern Italy. Here he undertakes an impartial survey of Italian society under Mussolini.

THE PROHIBITION MANIA. By Clarence Darrow and Victor S. Yarros. (Boni & Liveright).

A reply to the various defenders of the eighteenth amendment and the Volstead Enforcement Act, particularly Prof. Irving Fisher, author of "Prohibition at Its Worst."

HIGH SNOW. By "Ganpat." (Doran).

Love and adventure in Tibet. TOKFIELD PAPERS. By Frank Swinnerton. (Doran).

The famous British novelist has collected here 15 essays that have appeared in various British and American periodicals. The themes range from cats, swank, tact, sentimentality and advice, to such matters as feeling inferior, being agreeable, thinking well of one's self and making demands of life.

We have been hearing a good deal of late about companionate marriages. There are no doubt a number of people who are somewhat uncertain as to just what a companionate marriage is. For such people a reference to "Social Problems of the Family," by Prof. Ernest R. Groves, will prove enlightening. In a chapter entitled "The Arrested Family," Prof. Groves gives a detailed account of the companionate marriage. The book is the newest addition to the Lipincott's Family Life Series.

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By O. O. McIntyre

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Masseur parlor: "Try our dry soda rub." Shop selling "sea skirts." A girl wearing a furred evening wrap over a ring costume. "Sink er" and coffee shops with gold curtains and carved furniture. Chauffeurs scuffling to keep warm. Stained Hoffenstein, the poetical press agent for Al Woods.

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Mrs. Oscar Johnson of 38 Portland place will entertain a group of prominent St. Louisans who recently attended a house party at Inn-by-the-Sea, in Pass Christian, Miss. Mrs. Ames Cushman of 6383 Ellenwood avenue, gave a similar affair last night at her home for the same group.

Mrs. Martha T. Slaughter of 4914 McPherson avenue, who has been visiting in Europe for the last few months, sailed for home Dec. 14, and after visiting in the East over the holidays, will return to St. Louis early in January.

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Miss Martha Schuyler, daughter of Mrs. Ralph L. Thompson of McPherson avenue, will return home tomorrow from Smith College, where she is a senior.

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Mrs. Carl B. Antisdale and her daughter, Miss Lea Antisdale, have returned to their home in Bronxville, N. Y., after a ten-week visit with Mrs. Antisdale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Martin of St. Louis County. After Christmas, Miss Lea will return to St. Louis for a longer visit.

SOCIAL ITEMS

M. R. AND MRS. PHILIP BOND FOUKE of 330 Park avenue, New York, formerly of Westmoreland place, St. Louis, and their three sons, Lucien, Jack and Philip FOUKE, will spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. FOUKE's mother, Mrs. Truman Post Riddle, and her sister, Miss Ethel M. Riddle, of 108 Arundel place, Lucien FOUKE will arrive today, and after Christmas day will be the guest of Victor Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lionberger Davis of Brentwood. Mr. and Mrs. FOUKE and the rest of the family will be here Dec. 24.

Miss Lily Bush Magnus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Magnus of 4 Hortense place, will return home Saturday night from Miss Wright's School in Bryn Mawr, Pa., for the Christmas season. She will bring with her as her guest Miss Emily McKittick, daughter of Mrs. J. Clifford Rosen-garten, who, with Mr. Rosen-garten, has been making her home this winter in Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. Rosen-garten, with her two other children, Ralph and Miss Evelyn McKittick, will arrive Dec. 23 and will be guests at Hotel Chase. Miss Magnus will spend next year in Europe and will be a debutante the following season.

Mrs. Harry B. Hawes, wife of United States Senator Hawes, and her daughter, Miss Eppe Hawes, sailed Tuesday, from New York on the Cristobal for Panama. Miss Hawes is recuperating from a serious illness. Senator Hawes accompanied them to New York for the sailing.

Mrs. Charles Winthrop Mansur was hostess at a tea this afternoon at her home, 4905 Lindell boulevard, complimenting Miss Jean McLeod, a debutante of the season; Miss June Fortlage of London, who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Morton Jourdan of Lindell boulevard, and Mrs. Charles Isham Mansur of Chicago, daughter-in-law of the hostess, who is spending the week-end with her. The decorations were chrysanthemums and pink roses, and Miss McLeod carried an arm bouquet of the same. She wore a French gown of white, embroidered in crystals and rhinestones, with the skirt in a three-tiered effect. Miss Fortlage was in pale green chiffon.

Mrs. Mansur's friends assisting included Mrs. Henry M. Pfleger, Mrs. Herbert Lawrence Parker, Mrs. Howard V. Stephens, Mrs. S. T. G. Smith, Mrs. Frank Evans, Mrs. J. S. Klein, Mrs. Chris Garvey, Mrs. Morton Jourdan, Mrs. Dec. 23.

Alfred Bauer and Mrs. Edwin Strausburger.

A group of debutantes serving were: Miss Grace Moulton, Miss Hope Skillman, Miss Kate Edmondstone Thompson, Miss Mary Elizabeth Lumaghi, Miss Celeste Hammett, Miss Dorothy Green, Miss Martha Hurley, Miss Virginia Hindenway, Miss Frances Breck, Miss Elizabeth Clark, Miss Margaret Ryan and Miss Janet Blanke.

St. Louisans who will return home for the Christmas holidays from Princeton University, include Austin Leland, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Leland, 13 Windermere place; Louis B. Von Weise Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. Von Weise of 8 Lenox place; Jack Curby, son of Mrs. Clarence J. Curby of 4 Washington terrace; Fred Cross Baughman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Baughman of 4477 McPherson avenue; Ingram F. Boyd Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ingram F. Boyd of 6465 Ellenwood avenue; Frederick Atwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Atwood of 15 Southmoor; Robert B. Moody, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose A. Moody of 6351 Waterman avenue; Charles Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fox of 5151 Pershing avenue; William C. McChesney III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel P. McChesney of 5619 Clemens avenue; John McMillan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton H. McMillan of 4826 Maryland avenue; Duto Gale, son of Dr. and Mrs. George W. Gale Jr., of 5521 Chamberlain avenue; Charles Claggett, son of Mr. and Mrs. William N. Claggett of 5115 Lindell boulevard; Richard Sheldon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen B. Sheldon of 14 Kingsbury place; Gus Bischoff, son of Mrs. Gus Bischoff of Forest Ridge; and Charles Lewis Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson of 4947 McPherson avenue.

John Trigg Moss Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Trigg Moss of 6117 Enright avenue, who is taking a post-graduate course, and Richard Baldwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Warrington Baldwin of 21 Westmoreland place, who graduated in June and is an assistant coach this year. Mr. McMillan, Mr. Baughman and Mr. Leland are members of the Princeton Triangle Club and will spend only Christmas day with their parents. Walter and William Candy, sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Candy of California, formerly of Kingsbury place, also will spend the day here with the Triangle Club members. The Triangle Club will play in St. Louis for the first time.



DECEMBER 16, 1927.

Dear Mother...

Instead of writing directly to Santa this year, I thought I'd tell you about the dandy things I saw in Rothschild-Greenfield's Boys' Department.

Big, burly leather coats... all the fellows are wearing 'em; sweater and hose sets... beauties, too; peachy shirts and ties; cowboy and Indian suits; and gee, so many other things I'd like to have for Christmas that I can't remember them all.

Rothschild-Greenfield is the big new store on 6th and Locust that Dad likes so well.

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CAPPER PLAN

PATH TO PEACE,
SAYS DR. BUTLER
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France or Russia was chiefly responsible for bringing on the great war in 1914. It is safe to guess that a hundred years from now historians still will be debating that question.

The Capper resolution, however, offers a definition which a child can understand and from which no nation can escape. If a nation, any nation, commits an admittedly hostile or predatory act, we immediately ask did that nation, or did it not, previously agree to submit its international differences to conciliation, arbitration or judicial settlement. If it did, then in committing a hostile or predatory act it becomes an aggressor nation and deserves the moral reprobation of the civilized world.

It must not be forgotten, however, the materialistically minded man in these days is a very powerful agent and influence. Bismarck spoke words of truth and of wisdom long ago when he uttered the phrase: "In the next war it is the impendments that will count." Moral reprobation is impendable, but it counts enormously.

If, on the other hand, the nation that begins hostilities has made no commitment as to the settlement of international disputes by mediation, arbitration or conciliation, then while not technically an aggressor under this definition, it will long have been a nation upon which the whole world has looked with suspicion and disfavor because of its obvious wish to rely on force rather than justice in its international relations. The Capper resolution so well defines the aggressor nation that by bringing such a nation clearly to the foreground it greatly diminishes the danger of aggression itself.

"The Capper resolution does one thing more. If there be an aggressive war, it declares that our Government will not protect those of our nationals who, through

greed for gain or any other reason, wish to give aid and comfort to an aggressor nation. It is difficult to overestimate the effect of this policy. It would quickly isolate the aggressor nation and compel that nation to depend exclusively upon its own resources for conduct of war. It goes without saying that if the United States, France, Great Britain, Germany, Italy and Japan agree together to adopt this policy, and live up to it, no war can last very long. It must come to an end by using up the resources of the nation which brought about the war.

"Here, then, is a clear and noble indication of the path to peace. Let us not be misled or deceived by legalistic criticism of the definition of aggressor nation. Such legalistic criticism would apply equally to the whole judicial process, and if accepted and yielded to would destroy that process by like argument. Let us not be misled by certain appeals to outlaw war by rhetorical declaration, or to embark on any other purely fanciful and impractical course.

"Locarno has pointed the way, and Mr. Briand, in his moving appeal to the whole American people, publicly made on the tenth anniversary of our entry into the great war, has offered us the opportunity. Since Mr. Briand's appeal to us, Congress has not been in session. It has now reconvened, and, happily, Senator Capper's joint resolution is before it for consideration. Let us sincerely hope for quick adoption.

"This is not a matter, my friends, for the President and Secretary of State alone, or for Senators and Representatives in Congress alone. It is a matter for public opinion. Let public opinion express itself promptly, emphatically and with deep feeling and the Capper resolution will be adopted without unreasonable delay.

"Public sentiment," said Abraham Lincoln in his debate with Douglas, is everything. With public sentiment nothing can fail; without it, nothing can succeed. Consequently he who molds public sentiment goes deeper than he who enacts statutes or pronounces decisions."

"My appeal is to the public sentiment of the American people."

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS DONATIONS FOR LINDBERGH FUND SOUGHT
Committee to Discuss Selection of Fountain Site at January Meeting.

A special Christmas solicitation is being made by the Spirit of St. Louis Memorial Committee for a fund to erect a fountain commemorating Col. Lindbergh's non-stop flight to Paris.

Prospective sites are to be discussed at the next committee meeting at 10 a. m., Jan. 3 at Jefferson Memorial. The Memorial Plaza has been mentioned in earlier discussions.



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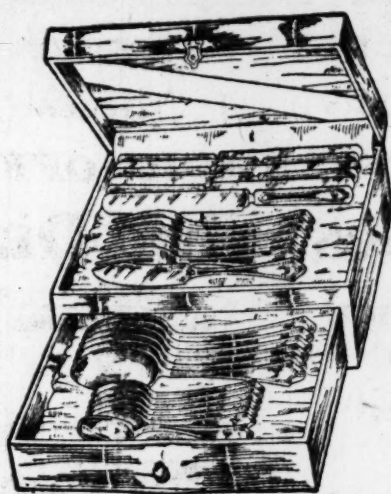
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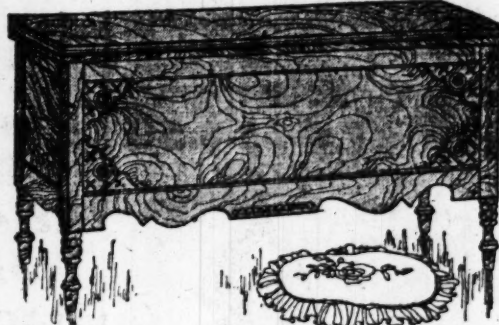
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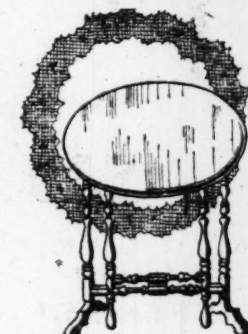
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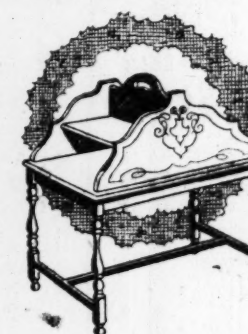
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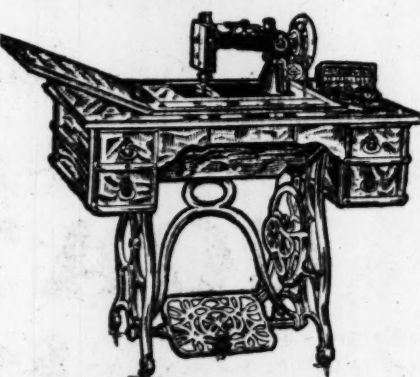
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Three lovely pieces fashioned after lines of the newest living-room furniture. The latest, comfortable davenport opens into a full-size bed equipped with a fine spring. The chairs, a wing chair and a club chair, are equally attractive in their superior construction. The three pieces are handsomely upholstered in Jacquard velour—the dominant feature of the Suite is expressed in the new design carved top railing—there is also a carved bottom molding.....
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The four pieces include a lovely French vanity, a chest of drawers, a full-size bedstead, and a dresser. Each piece is ornamented with a flower-trimmed, shaded oval and is inlaid with a rich walnut over select cabinet woods. Finished in a rich walnut over select cabinet woods.....
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5-Piece Gray Oak Breakfast Set
This charming new Set comes in gray oak trimmed in conventional design in black, or in tan oak trimmed in russet brown—the chairs are quaintly styled with panel backs—the table is automatic extension style, with space below top for leaves.....
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6-cup size; made of fine aluminum. An ideal Christmas suggestion.
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Child's Doll Carriage \$1.98 AND UP



Child's Toy Piano 79c



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Chest at bottom of genuine walnut, cedar lined, Ornate Spanish style with rich poly-chrome trimmings... \$69.50 \$6 Down
Chest at right top, cedar lined, \$25.85 \$1 Down



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Expertly made Rugs of finest quality, effective designs and exquisite shades. Real values during this sale only. 9x12 size.
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End Table, Fern Stand, Magazine Rack
Bronze metal base. Decorated top. \$4.95 \$1 Down
Lacquered in red or green. Copper bowl. \$2.95 \$1 Down
Made of bronze metal finished in black and gold. \$2.95 \$1 Down



Smoker's Cabinet \$3.95
Give him one of these Smoker's Cabinets for Christmas. Handsomely made and finished in parchment, green or red lacquer.
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Men's \$3 Belt... Buckle, Beltoqram \$2.70
Men's nationally advertised Belt... Buckle and Initial Beltoqram... all packed in neat box for Christmas giving... Special at \$2.70!

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Men's Fancy Elastic Web Suspenders... regular and extra length! made with GOOD leather ends... boxed for Christmas Giving, at 55c!

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Men's Radium Pure Silk Shirts... \$5.95
They're beauties!... Fine silk Shirts in the smart plain blue, tan and white shades!... Collar attached or separate collar-to-match styles... Sizes 14 to 17... at \$5.95.

Men's \$3.50 SHIRTS at \$2.45
Fine collar-attached and separate collar-to-match Shirts in fancy striped madras as well as fancy white English broadcloth... Sizes 14 to 17... at \$2.45.

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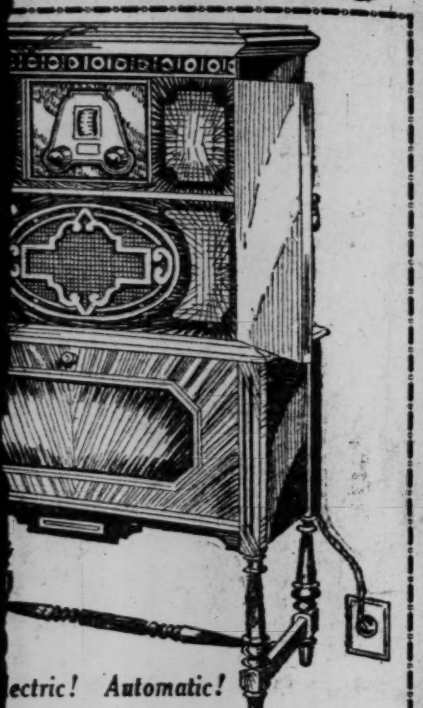
BOYS' BLOUSES 68c
Boys' fast-color, collar-attached Blouses of fancy printed percale... printed madras... printed broadcloth... printed broadcloth, etc... Sizes 6 to 12 years at 68c.

BOYS' SHIRTS 84c
Boys' fine quality Shirts of fancy percale... printed madras... printed color broadcloth... etc... Sizes 12 to 14 years at 84c.

Boys' Christmas SETS 50c
Packed one set in a box, in the following combinations:
—Fancy Knit Tie and Knit.
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—Fancy Knit Tie and Handkerchief.
—Fancy Bow Tie and Handkerchief.
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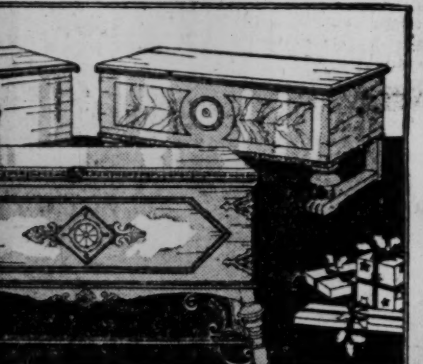
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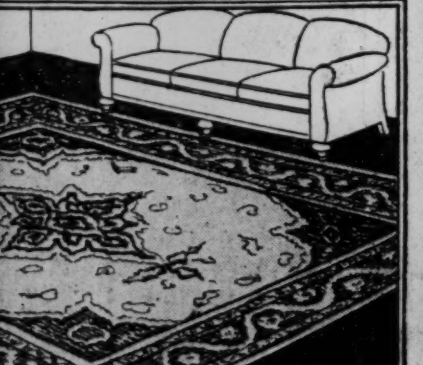
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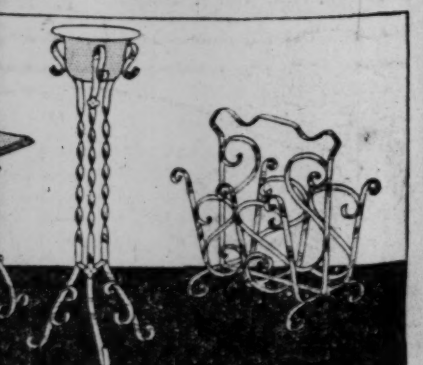
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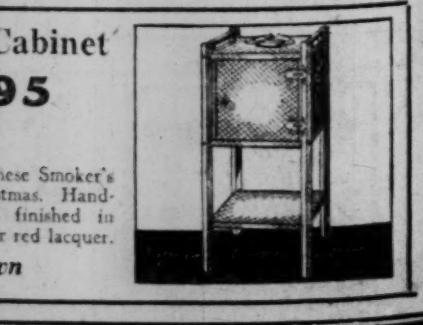
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at bottom of genuine walnut, lined, ornate Spanish style
rich, polished, **\$69.50**
Chest at right top, ornate
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Cabinet
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these Smoker's
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MARKETS--SPORTS

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For Brother! Father! Son!... nothing is more
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\$22.50 Values! \$27.50 Values! \$35 Values! \$40 Values! \$50 Values!

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Men! Young Men!... Your choice of nearly 10,000 Suits and Overcoats... THIS SEASON'S
Styles!... at prices far LOWER than would be possible under ordinary conditions... Yes!
10,000 Newest Winter Suits and Overcoats!... Right NOW... at the time when you
NEED a new Suit or Overcoat for the Christmas holidays!... Extreme styles for
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young men of all ages... Staple conservative styles for the mature men!
... In fact—a style and Quality garment for EVERY Man in St. Louis
no matter what his preference! Come in... Look around!

We want you to see these wonderful values for yourself!... to feel the fine woollens!... to ex-
amine the superb workmanship!... to note the distinctive styles!... Then—and
ONLY then—can you realize what we mean when we say that here
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Sale of BATH ROBES

\$3.29

Men's Heavy Bath
Robes tailored of good
imported and domestic
fabrics, in many beau-
tiful color combinations
... Shawl collar style
... with 2 pockets and
girdle... Come in all
sizes... An exception-
al value at \$3.29!

\$6.95

Men's Fine Quality
Bath Robes in the pop-
ular ombre color com-
binations... cut in the
smart shawl collar style
with cord trim! 3
pockets! Girdle! Choice
of small, medium or
large sizes... at
\$6.95!

\$4.95

Men's splendid quality
Bath Robes of a bath-
robe material that will
give UNUSUAL serv-
ice!... Made with the
popular shawl collar...
cord trim... two large
pockets and girdle...
small, medium or large
sizes... all are offered
in this Christmas sale,
at \$4.95!

\$9.75

Men's extra fine
heavy "Shade-O"
Blend imported ombre
blanket Bath Robe!
... with shawl collar
... cord trimmed col-
lar, pockets and
cuffs! Choice of
many beautiful color
combinations at the
Xmas sale price of
\$9.75!

Men's Smoking Jacket

PRICED AT
\$5.95—\$6.95
\$8.95—\$9.75

Sale! \$2.50 — \$3.00
SHIRTS.... \$1.88
Collar attached!... separate collar-to-match!... neckband-style Shirts in all sizes
13; to 17;... tailored of fine 2x1 imported English broadcloth... rayon striped
broadcloth!... Jacquard broadcloth!... and fancy clipped figure fabrics! \$1.88.



Men's \$3 Belt...
Buckle, Beltogram

\$2.70

Men's nationally advertised
Belt... Buckle and Initial
Beltogram... all packed
in neat box for Christ-
mas giving... Special at
\$2.70!

Men's
Suspenders
55c

Men's Fancy Elastic
Web Suspenders... reg-
ular size and extra length!
made with GOOD leather
ends... boxed for Christmas
giving at 55c!

Men's Suspenders and
Garter Sets at
95c

A Suspenders and Garter Set
(packed in a neat Christmas box)
will make an attractive gift for
Dad or Big Brother!

Men's Radium
Pure Silk Shirts...
\$5.95

They're beautiful!... Fine silk
Shirts in the smart plain blue, tan
and white shades!... Collar at-
tached or separate collar-to-
match styles... Sizes 14 to 17
... at \$5.95.

Men's \$3.50 SHIRTS at
\$2.45

Fine collar-attached and separate-
collar-to-match Shirts in fancy
striped madras as well as fancy
white English broadcloth...
Sizes 14 to 17... at \$2.45.

Men's "Plus 4"
Golf Knickers
of fine silk and wool mix-
tures in newest model... at
\$4.95

Men's Brocaded
Lounging Robes
\$5.95
Splendid quality Loung-
ing Robes... made of
beautiful rayon brocaded
and cotton fabrics in
scores of attractive color
combinations!... Unusu-
ally well made... small,
medium, large sizes.
Very specially priced, at

Christmas in Our Boys' Department!!



BOYS' BLOUSES
68c

Boys' last-color, collar-attached Blouses
of heavy printed percales!... printed and
checked madras!... printed broadcloth!
Jacquard broadcloth!... Sizes 8 to 15
years at 68c.

BOYS' SHIRTS
84c

Boys' fine quality Shirts of fancy per-
cale, printed madras!... printed
broadcloth!... Jacquard broadcloth!... Solid
broadcloth!... etc... Sizes 12 to 14
years at 84c.

Boys' Better Quality Shirts at
95c to \$1.85

Boys' Christmas SETS
50c
Packed one set in a box, in the follow-
ing combinations:
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—Fancy Knit Tie and Pocket.
—Fancy Knit Tie and Handkerchief.
—Fancy Bow Tie and Comb.
—Fancy Bow Tie and Knife.
—Fancy Bow Tie and Marbles.
—Fancy Bow Tie and Harmonica.

JUVENILE SUITS of Jersey,
Cotton Flannel and Cord-
uroy Combinations in sizes
3 to 8... **\$1.22**

JUVENILE OVERCOATS of
fine Chinchilla, Beavers,
Meltons and Kerseys, in
sizes 2 to 8... **\$4.95**

BOYS' Heavy Tan Leather-
ette Rain Outfits (Coat and
Hat), in sizes... **\$4.45**

BOYS' Heavy School Over-
coats and 2-Knicker Suits in
sizes... **\$4.95**

BOYS' \$13.50 2-Pant Suits
and School Overcoats in all
sizes... **\$8.95**

BOYS' \$22.50 2-Pant Suits
and fine Overcoats in
all sizes... **\$13.95**

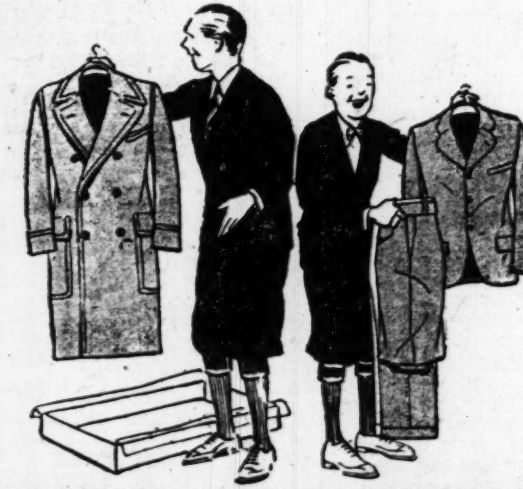
BOYS' Ties of fine cut silks
in many beauti-
ful patterns at... **35c**

BOYS' fancy patterned knit
Mufflers in
Xmas box at... **59c**

Boys 2 Pant Suits
& OVERCOATS
\$6.95

THE TWO-PANT SUITS come in
fine Cassimere and Scotch fabrics,
as well as the always-popular blue
serges. Two knickers, or one knicker
and one longie are included. Sizes
6 to 18, \$6.95.

THE OVERCOATS comprise ultra-
ette and full-length models in neat
dark shades with de luxe or all-wool
plaid linings. Sizes 8 to 16, \$6.95



SCORES OF OTHER ITEMS FOR BOYS!

Boys 2 Pant Suits
& OVERCOATS
\$10.95

THE TWO-PANT SUITS are of all-
wool velour, cassimere, chevrot, tweed
and other extra-fine quality school-
finished fabrics, in checks, plaids,
stripes, and plain shades with 2 golf
knickers or 2 longies or 1 pair of
each. Sizes 8 to 18, \$10.95.

THE OVERCOATS include such pro-
ven quality wool fabrics as kerseys
melton and plaid-backs and other
novelties! Sizes 8 to 16, \$10.95.

BOYS' Heavy School Over-
coats with smart plaid lin-
ings... solid shades... sizes
8 to 18... **\$3.95**

BOYS' All-Wool Jersey Knit
Vests in all
sizes 10 to 18 at... **\$1.00**

BOYS' Golf Knickers and
Longies in light and dark
shades... sizes
8 to 18 years... **\$1.33**

BOYS' Wool Golf Knickers
and Longies of extra good
quality... sizes up to 18
years... **\$1.95**

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Play Suits, cowboy, Indian,
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tity lasts.

JUVENILE SUITS of Jersey
and All-Wool Blue Serge in
sizes 3 to 10... **\$2.95**

BOYS' Heavy Bathrobes in
the popular shawl collar
style at... **\$2.95**

BOYS' percale and cotton
flannelette Pajamas in sizes
6 to 16... **95c**

Boys' Sheep-Lined Coats
\$4.95
Regulation length!... of khaki melton!
lined!... 4 pockets!... big fleece col-
lar!... Sizes 8 to 16.

Boys' Sheep-Lined Coats
\$7.45
Blue corduroy... all tan melton!
lined with long-snap sheep lining, with
high fleece collar, etc. Unusually well
made, to give extreme service. Sizes 8
to 18.

Boys' Lumberjacks
\$2.95
Wool Flannel Lumberjacks in snappy color
combinations! Come with sport collars,
knit bottoms, 2 pockets, etc. Also
Leatherette Lumberjacks! Sizes from
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Attractive Knit Sport Coat (4 pockets)
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(many beautiful color combinations) in
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3-piece sets with genuine stag handle and blades of finest tempered steel. Regularly \$5.00. "Hunters" Set. On sale **\$3.25**

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The famous "American" Velocipede with ball-bearing wheels and heavy rubber tires; tubular steel frame. Specially priced as follows:

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Large Size...\$11.95

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Large size, strongly built with heavily rubber-tired disc wheels and full roller bearing. Special **\$3.98**

Roller-Bearing Roller Skates

Extension pattern for all sizes from 10 to 12 years. Pair. **\$1.25**

Electric Light Outfits for Christmas Trees

WITH GENUINE NATIONAL NADA BULBS. And continuous plug, enabling two or more sets to be connected to one light socket.

8-Light Outfit...\$1.39
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EXTRA BULBS

All Colors, Each 9c

Indoor Pitching Shoes

Made of rubber. Set of 4—complete with pegs—4 plates. Per set—**89c**

EXTENSION MIRRORS

FOR SHAVING

3-inch Beveled Plate Glass Mirror; nickel-plated adjustable bracket. Extra special **\$1.29**

NESTOR JOHNSON ICE SKATES

The famous "Flyer" brand, with shoes attached. All sizes in stock. **\$6.39**

BRASS BIRD CAGES

As illustrated. With 4 x 4 x 4 seed guard all around. Special. **\$2.45**

GOOD TOOLS

Make Ideal Gifts

For the man and for the grown boy nothing makes a more welcome as well as useful gift. We have complete Tool Chests specially **\$3.75 to \$25**

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Automatic Push Drill Complete with 8 drill points **\$1.29**

Combination Square 12-inch, with level glass and scriber **98c**

"Diston" Hand Saw 12-inch long, 6 level blades **\$2.95**

TO BRIDGE SAN FRANCISCO BAY

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Bills authorizing the bridging of San Francisco Bay were introduced yesterday by Senator Johnson in the Senate and Representative Welch in the House. The structure would extend from Rincon Hill, San Francisco, to a point near the south mole of San Antonio estuary in Alameda County. The proposed structure would be four miles long.

PLAN HYDRO-ELECTRIC PLANT

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Construction of a storage reservoir with a capacity of 870,000,000 cubic feet on the Eleven Point River in Oregon County, Missouri, was part of a hydro-electric power project described in a declaration of intentions presented to the Federal Power Commission yesterday. The reservoir, which can be installed by construction of a 60-foot dam, would operate the hydroelectric plant, with a capacity of 2856 horsepower. The declaration was submitted by Jess Priest and W. H. Williams, both of Poplar Bluff, Mo.

TORNADO RELIEF WORK MORE THAN HALF FINISHED

Citizens' Committee Announces That \$506,340 of the \$900,000 Raised Has Been Spent.

AID GIVEN TO 2800 FAMILIES

Clothes and Furniture Chief Items—Of 8600 Cases Presented About 4600 Have Been Checked.

Permanent relief work undertaken by the St. Louis Chapter, American Red Cross, after the tornado, Sept. 29, was more than half complete today, with \$506,340 of the \$900,000 relief fund expended for emergency relief and rehabilitation of approximately 2800 families. This was announced by Bert H. Lang, chairman of the Red Cross Citizens' Relief Committee. The relief organization, working at top speed for the last several weeks, now is in the homestretch and probably will complete its task by Jan. 15, Lang added. 4600 of 8600 Cases Checked.

During the month following the tornado when the work of permanent relief was getting under way, 8600 families, or approximately 25,000 individuals, were registered as affected by the disaster, with the majority in probable need of some form of relief. About 4600 of these 8600 cases have been received by the Rehabilitation Committee, a group of citizens selected to pass on awards. Out of these 2800 have received awards thus far.

Approximately 200 of these cases represent awards totaling \$125,000 to assist families in rebuilding their homes, wrecked or destroyed by the tornado. This is an average of a little more than \$600 a family.

The bulk of the money, however, has been spent in providing clothes for tornado sufferers and furnishings for their damaged homes. Awards in these cases have ranged from a few dollars to several hundred dollars.

The relief work, which began a few hours after the tornado struck, was mapped out in two phases, the emergency and the permanent or rehabilitation. The emergency work consisted of caring for the temporary victims of several thousand families, providing food, shelter and clothing and moving them into new homes. It was completed in about two weeks and cost \$75,000. The rest of the money has been spent for the permanent relief.

Trust Funds Established. Trust funds have been established for five widows, some with children in need of education. These are widows of advanced age and with no prospective means of support.

Most of the awards now made by the Rehabilitation Committee, which meets twice a week, are for rebuilding or the purchase of household goods, but when the permanent relief program began several awards were made to assist tornado victims in recovering their normal incomes. Occupational tools, for instance, were furnished.

In addition the tornado relief organization has paid hospital bills and rent until families could get back to a normal basis. Medical aid was extended in about 250 cases. About a dozen persons injured in the tornado, Red Cross officers said, are still in hospitals and need assistance for some time to come.

A complete and detailed summary of the relief work has not been made so far, for attention of the relief organization, housed at 1411 North Grand boulevard, has been concentrated on preparing family cases for the Rehabilitation Committee.

"After two months and a half, most of the tornado victims are back to normal," said P. H. Byrns, executive secretary of the St. Louis Chapter and disaster relief director. "The mental tension and nervousness that followed the disaster have passed. Some of the families have returned to their pre-tornado status. Others, of course, are not so comfortable. But we have been trying to make them as comfortable as possible with the resources available."

Investigation by a large staff of field workers and the subsequent review by the Rehabilitation Committee resulted in the passing of 1200 cases in which the tornado sufferers could recover without Red Cross assistance. The neediest cases were taken up first.

No Cash Awards. No cash awards or loans are made. Awards of furniture and other goods are in form of regulations on merchants selected by the recipients. The relief expenditures will be audited by the War Department under which the Red Cross functions as a governmental relief agency.

The St. Louis tornado relief is the largest disaster that has been handled by a local Red Cross chapter. The \$900,000 fund also was raised almost entirely in St. Louis within two weeks.

FINED \$500 FOR ABUSING WIFE

Service Car Driver Choked Her for Taking \$10 From Pocket, Woman Says.

Norman A. Barry, a service car driver of 1729 Missouri avenue, today was fined \$500 by Police Judge Rosecan for disturbing the peace of his wife, a City Hospital nurse. Mrs. Barry testified that when she took a \$10 bill from Barry's trousers pocket in their room at 2056 Lafayette avenue last Sunday, he knocked her down and choked her. Mrs. Barry was assisted to court by two friends and faintly while she was waiting for the case to be called. Barry testified that his wife took the money, then rushed him and butted him with her head when he protested. He appealed.

TO SPEND \$7,500,000 ON STREETS IN 1928

Des Peres and Other Sewers, Plus Paving of 1,500,000 Square Yards, Planned.

The Board of Public Service today approved ordinances for 48,000 square yards of street paving. The bills now go to the Board of Aldermen for final action. The total now is 944,000 square yards of paving approved this year for 1928. In addition, much paving scheduled for completion this year has been delayed by litigation, with the result that about

1,500,000 square yards will be laid in 1928 at an approximate cost of \$7,500,000. Construction of the River des Peres sewer and other sewers next year will raise to \$12,000,000 the total expended in 1928 for streets and sewers, according to estimates by W. W. Horner, Chief Engineer for the city.

Street Projects Approved.

The street improvements approved today are: Washington boulevard, between Spring and Vandeventer avenues, one block; setting back the curbs five feet on each side and paving the added width with asphalt, \$10,000. Delmar boulevard, from Hamilton avenue to Skinker boulevard; three blocks, Warrenite bitulithic, \$80,000. Berthold avenue at Clayton avenue; asphalt, \$16,200. Parker avenue, between Russell and Oak Hill avenues, one block; grading and paving with concrete, \$13,500.

When avenue, from Amalie avenue to Kingshighway, three blocks, Warrenite bitulithic, \$13,500. Macklind avenue, between Schelberger and Plankman avenues, nine blocks; asphalt, \$27,000. Macklind avenue, between Plankman and Loughborough avenues; asphalt, \$42,160. Taylor avenue at Ashland avenue; Amelite, \$18,760. De Giverville avenue at Taylor boulevard; Warrenite bitulithic, \$7600.

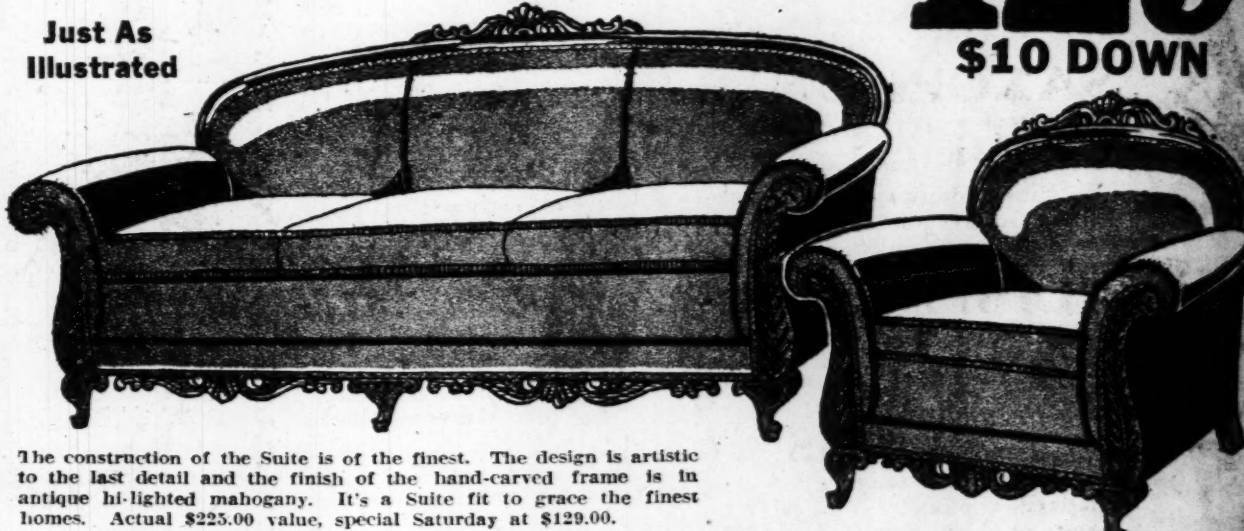
The plan to pave Twelfth boulevard, from Russell boulevard to Sidney street, a distance of three blocks, at a cost of \$56,800, was approved by the Board of Public Service.

Of this amount, \$11,872 will be taken from bond issue funds and the remainder will be charged to property owners who are benefited by the improvement.

J. D. CARSON CO., S. E. COR. 8TH & FRANKLIN

Genuine MOHAIR Carved Frame
\$225.00 TWO-PIECE SUITE, \$129
\$10 DOWN

Just As Illustrated



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ON SALE HERE SATURDAY \$30,000 cash purchase of high-grade garments at 25% to 50% less than cost. Patterns and colors are the choicest. Models are this season's single and double breasted. Plain and fancy fabrics. The absolute pick of the mills.

MANY OF THESE SUITS HAVE TWO PAIRS OF PANTS

\$16 KINDS	\$20 KINDS	\$25 KINDS	\$30 KINDS	\$35 KINDS	\$40 KINDS
10.50	13.50	15.75	17.80	20.50	23.50

Men's & Young Men's \$20 Fancy Topcoats 13.75
& Genuine Cravenette Gabardines 4.75

Men's \$10 Mole-skin SHEEP-LINED COATS...5.95
Men's \$8 All-Wool Double Breasted JERSEY COATS 5
Men's \$3 Knitted JERSEY COATS & Heavy Rope COATS...1.45
Men's \$5 All-Wool Heavy Rope Coats and Pullover SWEATERS...2.95

Men's \$5 and \$6 All-Wool Worsted and Blue Serge Pants, 3.45

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Wood Carving Display. Patterns, materials and tools for wood carving will be demonstrated by Mrs. Mary Evans Hallock, constant supervisor of drawing in the Public Schools, for children of the Story House tomorrow at the Forest Park galleries to view the display.

THIS PART FOR READING and it is invisible

SATURDAY ONLY \$

KRYPTOK TWO-VISION GLASSES

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Ukulele; adjustable calfskin head. Special \$5

Banjo; Ukulele; formerly sold at \$10. Special \$5

The famous Gibson-Ukulele or Banjo. Special \$5

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Casa Saxophones; Buy! a variety of all to play. regulation. Special \$80

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Duplex or Leedy Drum. As pictured. Special \$80

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Duplex School Drum. Special \$80

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full tone; the approved

Violin. \$6.75

Child's Violin; not a toy

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JUDGE FARIS FORFEITS 8 LIQUOR SALE BONDS

Epidemic of Sickness Excuses
Causes Court to Raise \$1000
Sureties to \$5000.

An epidemic of sickness excuses and non-appearances to answer charges of sale of liquor developed in Federal Court today among dry law violators who faced the prospect of spending Christmas in jail. Judge Faris, starting the call of 26 liquor cases on his docket this morning, got through seven cases in which sale of liquor was alleged and the defendants were not present. As he went through the docket, he ordered the \$1000 bond in each case forfeited and fixed new bond at \$5000. The usual punishment for sale of liquor is a jail sentence, for possession a fine.

When he got to the eighth case involving sale and there was no answer, he paused. "This is very peculiar," he commented. "I'm going to call this docket again next Monday. If the defendants are not here then I'll order their bonds forfeited and fix new bonds at \$15,000 and see what effect that will have on Christmas festivities."

In one case charging sale, the defendant pleaded for time because his wife was suffering one of her

intermittent attacks of diabetes. Judge Faris deferred the case to Jan. 10, remarking "I'm sure she'll get well after Christmas."

One woman and 12 men pleaded guilty this morning and were fined or sentenced to jail. Mrs. Goldie Johnson of Crystal City, who was arrested as she was unloading 10 gallons of moonshine whiskey from a truck in Crystal City, was fined \$240 on her plea of guilty of possession of liquor.

Sam Russo and Carmen di Franco, St. Louis County, admitted they had been working at a still in St. Louis County. Russo, who said he was paid \$20 a week, was sentenced to three months in jail and Di Franco, who got only \$15 a week, was sentenced to two months. They refused to divulge the name of their employer.

Other fines and sentences today were: Mark Ivanac, 301 Rutger street, \$460 for possession; John Joyce, 4646 West Florissant avenue, \$225 for possession; William Klauberg, 2209 Manchester road, 40 days for sale; John Laidacker, 2034 South Second street, \$460 for possession; Otto Landstrom, 4035 South Grand boulevard, \$260 for possession; Andrew Norde, 1014 North Sixteenth street, \$460 for possession; Walter Obermeyer, Jefferson County, two months for operation of still; John Profoch, \$1 for possession and \$450 for transportation; Andrew Bastas, 208 South Sixth street, \$900 for possession; and Robert Knoles, St. Louis County, \$600 for sale.

The excuses of sickness and requests that sentence be put off until after the holidays for various reasons began yesterday when 23 cases were called. Sixteen pleaded guilty, chiefly to possession of liquor. Sentence of four who pleaded guilty was deferred.

Portugal to Authorize Gambling. LISBON, Portugal, Dec. 16.—The Portuguese Government has invited tenders for licenses to run gambling casinos in Portugal, Madeira and other authorized zones. This is in conformity with a recent decision of the government to authorize gambling in authorized zones subject to tax.

Killed by Auto in Fog. MOBERLY, Mo., Dec. 16.—Isaac Adams died instantly Wednesday night from a broken neck when he was hit by an automobile driven by E. E. Claypool, local merchant. The coroner's jury exonerated Claypool, who said fog prevented him from seeing Adams, who was crossing the street.

FOUR PERSONS INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENTS

Two Women and Man Struck
by Cars, Driver Hurt in
Crash With Street Car.

Joseph Powell, an elevator operator, was severely injured last night, when run down by an automobile driven by Martin Maurer, 4648A Vernon avenue, at Jefferson avenue and Russell boulevard. Powell was taken to City Hospital suffering from probable fractures of the skull and spine and internal injuries. Maurer said his machine struck Powell after he had started the car, upon getting the "go" signal from the signal at the corner.

Mrs. Ethel Wilson, proprietor of a hotel at Farmington, Mo., was internally injured yesterday afternoon when an automobile ran her down as she left a street car at Eleventh street and Washington avenue.

A machine driven by Herman Bauer, a chauffeur, 4611 Rosa avenue, collided head-on with a Manchester street car at Theresa and Chouteau avenues late yesterday, as Bauer was attempting to pass a truck on the left side. Bauer suffered skull fracture and internal injuries.

Mrs. Bertha Ullrich, 69, 5367 Wells avenue, suffered skull injury and lacerations last night when run down at Union boulevard and Wells avenue. Her condition is serious.

BOND SUPERVISORS HOLD UP \$575,000 SEWER ORDINANCE

Committee Waits for Kinsey to
Explain Details of Rocky
Branch Project.

A proposed ordinance appropriating \$525,000 for construction of Rocky Branch Sewer was held up by the Citizens' Bond Issue Supervisory Committee yesterday until President Kinsey of the Board of Public Service explains details of the project to the committee.

This sewer, to be 12 to 15 feet in diameter, will run under Palm street for about a mile, from Blair avenue to the river, but will connect with existing sewers to drain the area east of Taylor avenue, between Easton and Natural Bridge avenues. Present sewers in this area are from 25 to 65 years old. Funds will come from an unexpected surplus in the bond issue. The supervisory committee also delayed the proposed appropriation of \$450,000 for odds and ends for the completion of the Missouri River waterworks until an explanation of details is made by Director of Public Utilities Pritchard.

ANTI-JEWISH RIOTS CONTINUE
Students Reported Looting Stores
and Synagogues.

BUDAPEST, Dec. 16.—The newspaper Pesti Naplo has received a dispatch from Oradea, Mare stating that desecration and plundering of synagogues and Jewish retail stores are continuing.

In the town of Tarbun Oenar, the dispatch adds, students left a train at a station en route to Bucharest, sacked stores, wrecked synagogues and terrified the population. The students then returned to the train dressed in Rabbi's garments.

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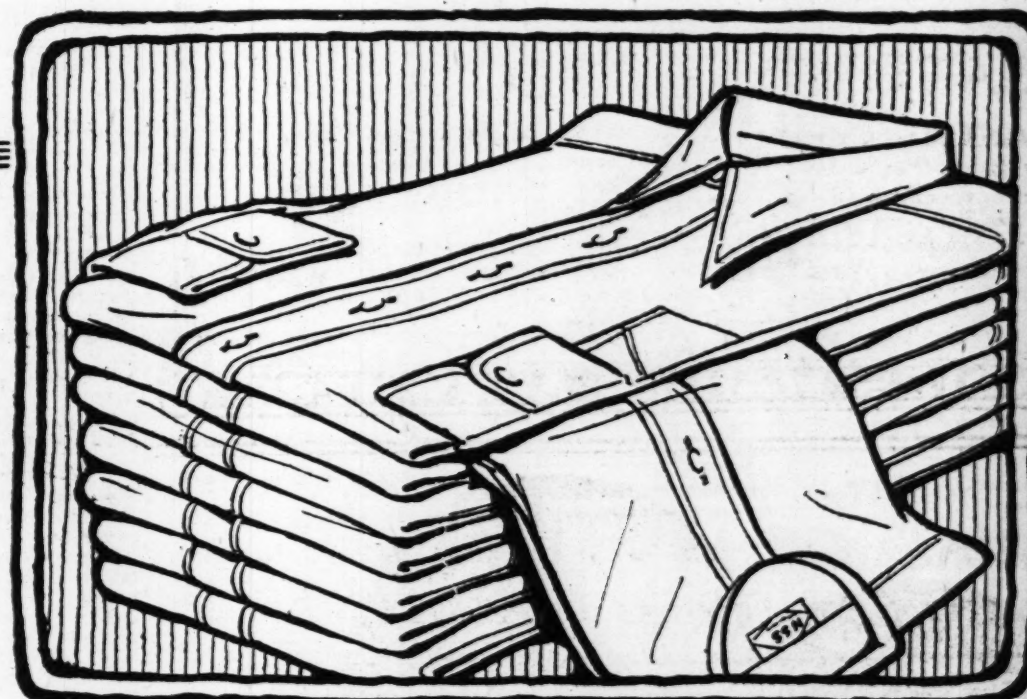


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Opens Saturday, December 17th, at 914 Olive Street
With Three One-Day Specials

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\$1.95 Shirts Reduced to \$1.69 (3 for \$5)

Tens of thousands of these Shirts are sold at our standard price of \$1.95. This quality is rarely offered under \$2.50 elsewhere. They are made of lustrous fine count imported English broadcloth—full cut, well tailored, in white, neckband or collar-attached. Sizes from 13½ to 17, sleeves 32 to 36. Every man's size is here—and you can get 3 for \$5 Saturday only.



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With fruits and nuts
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Enjoyed by young and old—delicious
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Colds, Grippe, Flu, Dengue,
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Church Choir to Sing "Messiah."
A choir of 50 voices, directed by John Egbert, and a quartet will sing the Christmas oratorio, Handel's "Messiah," in the West Presbyterian Church, 5872 Maple avenue, at 8 p. m. Sunday. There also will be several soloists. Special decorations and lighting effects will carry out the Christmas theme.

CONVENT TO OPPOSE ZONE LAW CHANGE

Preparing Protest Against Establishing Commercial District on Belt Avenue.

A representative of Visitation Convent, southeast corner of Bell and Cabanne avenues, is preparing to organize a protest of property owners in the vicinity against the pending ordinance to change the block of Belt avenue between Cabanne and Vernon avenues, immediately north of the attractive convent grounds, from a multiple-dwelling to a commercial zone.

The ordinance was introduced in the Board of Aldermen two weeks ago under the name of Alderman Schwartz, chairman of the Legislation Committee. It was sent there by the City Plan Commission office and the board's clerk put Schwartz's name on as sponsor in accordance with routine. The commission office drafted the bill at the request of Victor H. Rhodes, a contractor, who is starting erection of an eight-story apartment house at the northeast corner of Belt and the lower floor of the building. The ordinance would be erected as a favor. The engineer and secretary of the commission told reporters at the time they intended to oppose granting such favors.

Rhodes could not be reached this morning, but an employee at his office, who said Rhodes was owner and builder of the apartment, declared Rhodes desired to include stores on the lower floor. If the change of zone is made, the present multiple dwelling district makes an apartment permissible, but stores can be built only in a commercial or lower zone.

Excavation for the structure is under way now. The building permit, issued four weeks ago, on Nov. 17, provides only for the foundation so far, but indicates an eight-story apartment will be erected. It names Rhodes as contractor, J. B. McGinty of 6635 Delmar boulevard, which is Rhodes' office, as owner, and F. G. Avis as architect.

TWO ACCUSED OF TRYING TO BRIBE WOMAN WITNESS

Mrs. Clara McClain Says She Was Offered Money for Not Appearing Against Bernard Kilcullen.

Two men, charged by Mrs. Clara McClain, 1502 1/2 Washington street, with having asked her not to appear as a witness against Bernard Kilcullen, who is charged in a warrant with having attempted to attack her, were arrested yesterday at Seventeenth street and Franklin avenue.

Mrs. McClain said she was going to a grocery when the men, who said they were Stephen Cramer, 2909 Cass avenue, and Peter White, 2817 Sheridan avenue, approached her. They asked, according to Mrs. McClain, if she would be willing to accept "some money" and move away so police could not locate her when Kilcullen's case is called for trial. She called policemen and had them arrested.

The alleged offense, with which Kilcullen is charged, occurred in the McClain home while Mrs. McClain was there alone, she told police at the time.

GAS LINE BREAK HITS 20 TOWNS

Many in Little Rock and Hot Springs Without Heat.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 16.—A break in the main gas line of the Arkansas Natural Gas Co. south of Arkadelphia today left 20 Arkansas cities, including Little Rock, Pine Bluff and Hot Springs, without a gas supply on one of the coldest days of the winter.

Company officers said it was doubtful if the break could be found and repaired before night. The gas supply comes from the Louisiana fields and many persons depend on it for heating. The temperature was 25 degrees here today.

ACTRESS SUES FOR SEPARATION

Jane Egbert Says Husband Hit Her With Plate of Peas.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—On allegations of cruelty, including a charge that she had been threatened with a carving knife and hit with a plate of peas, Jane Egbert, actress, has filed suit for separation from Thomas G. Donovan, New Hampshire granite producer. Donovan's answer "denies each and every allegation."

They were married in August, 1920, soon after Miss Egbert was graduated from the University of Iowa.

SALOON ROBBED AND RAIDED

Police Investigating Burglary Discover Whiskey and Beer.

Mike Stasiak, who for two weeks has owned a saloon at 520 Hickory street, reported to police last night that \$1100 in cash, three \$100 bonds of the Republic of Poland, and jewelry valued at \$100 had been stolen from his living quarters above the saloon.

Investigating the theft, detectives found six gallons of whiskey and 240 bottles of beer in the basement. Stasiak was arrested.



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To Amend Schneider Cup Rules.
By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Dec. 16.—The British and Italian Governments have decided to support a project for amendment of the Schneider cup

rules to make future races biennially instead of annually. In making this announcement, the air ministry stated that the present interval of one year between races was not enough to allow adequate progress in the technical design of

Marine aircraft the development of which was the object of the trophy's donor. The United States, French and German authorities have been informally consulted and are understood to concur in this proposal.

Plan High School for Boys.
Plans for the erection of a Catholic high school for boys, to cost \$200,000, were discussed yesterday at a meeting of East St. Louis clergymen at St. Joseph's Church. A campaign for funds will be made early in 1928.

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Sore Throat Wisdom
To relieve Sore Throat you must get at the seat of the disease, counteracting the cause. Tonsiline is prepared and sold for that one purpose. A dose of Tonsiline taken upon the first appearance of Sore Throat may save long days of sickness. Use a little Sore Throat Wisdom today. You may need it tomorrow. Insist on the bottle with the long necked fellow on it when you get it.

TONSILINE
The National Sore Throat Remedy

PLANS MORE RADIO CHANGES
Federal Commission to Transfer Frequencies Feb. 1.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Radio stations have been offered an opportunity by the Federal Radio Commission to test their present broadcasting assignments in preparation for changes in channel frequencies or power allotment beginning Feb. 1, 1928.

A number of transfers which are expected to improve reception conditions will be announced Jan. 15 to become effective Feb. 1. Changes from these assignments will be possible only as the result of public hearings, opportunities for which will be available to radio operators soon. The Commission will also announce transfers of a number of Pacific Coast stations Feb. 15 to become effective March 1.

CAPONE ARRESTED IN JOLIET ON HIS WAY TO CHICAGO
Gang Leader, Returning From Los Angeles, Defies Police to Keep Him From Home City.
JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 16.—Al Capone, Chicago gang leader, was arrested today as he alighted from a train at the Union Station here. The police turned out in force to meet him.

Capone had gone to Los Angeles with two friends for a rest, as he explained to police in that city, but found he was an unwelcome guest. Newspaper stories of his arrival in California led the hotel in which he was occupying a luxurious suite to demand his departure. Four gangsters, loitering at the station here were arrested shortly before Capone's train arrived. Revolvers were taken from them and they were placed in cells to await the arrival of their chief.

Told that police were waiting here to prevent him entering Chicago, Capone said: "I'd like to see them keep me out. I don't care if the whole force and Mayor Thompson are waiting for me. I'm a taxpayer and I've got a right to go back." He was carrying two \$500 bills, 13 \$100 bills and many \$50 and smaller bills.

LABEL CONVICTION UPHELD
Editor and Owner of Louisville, Ky., Loose Appeal.

By the Associated Press.
FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 16.—Conviction of the Louisville News and its editor and owner of libel in connection with the trial in an assault case of two Negroes in Hopkins County was upheld by the State Court of Appeals today.

Articles referring to the trial, one headed "Legal Lynching Commenced" were resented by Judge Ruby Laffoon, before whom Nathan Bard and Bunyan Fleming were tried, and the newspaper and I. Willis Cole and William Warley, editor and owner, were convicted and fined \$250. They appealed to the State's highest court, which today voted to uphold the action. Bard and Fleming recently were hanged at Madisonville after having lost an appeal to the United States Supreme Court. They died maintaining their innocence, although another Negro, who turned State's evidence, testified that they had attacked a young white woman.

TELLS OF LIQUOR SMUGGLING
La Guardia Says Syndicate Deals With "the Social Effect."

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Charges that a syndicate was operating in New York and other large ports to "furnish liquor in large quantities to the social elite" were made today by Representative La Guardia, (Rep.), of New York. He read a letter he sent today to Secretary of the Treasury Mellon declaring the method was to remove used customs stamps from baggage on foreign ships and to place the stamps on empty trunks which then were filled with liquor. The trunks then were delivered to the purchasers, he said. La Guardia charged the liquor was brought by the large trans-Atlantic passenger ships.

WRITER DIES OF POISONING
Allan Purvis, 50, Gave Up Railroad Job for Fiction.

By the Associated Press.
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 16.—Allan Purvis, 50 years old, who some years ago gave up the position of superintendent of the Ontario & Quebec division of the Canadian Pacific Railway to write fiction, was found unconscious in a hotel here yesterday and died soon afterward in a hospital. An autopsy disclosed that poison was the probable cause of his death. Investigators said they had been unable to find a motive that would have led Purvis to kill himself. He was engaged in writing technical articles for railway magazines.

LEONARD MATTHEWS AT 99
Birthday Tomorrow; Former Broker's Health Generally Good.

Leonard Matthews, 5447 Cabanne avenue, former broker and director of Shaw's Garden, will be 99 years old tomorrow. Although his sight and hearing are impaired, his health otherwise seems good and he keeps abreast of what is going on in the world. He has been sparing of food and drink and never used tobacco. U. S. Employees Get 3-Day Holiday.
By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—President Coolidge assumed the role of Santa Claus today for the Government employees in Washington. By executive order he stipulated that all Government departments shall close Saturday, Dec. 24, which will give the employees a three-day Christmas holiday, since Christmas day, falling on Sunday, actually will be celebrated on Monday. The order ends with these words: "This order is not to be deemed as establishing a precedent."

PROFESSIONAL BONDSMAN, UNDER SENTENCE, MARRIES
Mike Cutter, Awaiting Commitment Papers, Weds Miss Esther Albert at East St. Louis.

Mike Cutter, grocer and professional bondsman, whose two-year prison sentence for substituting a "ringer" for a defendant in a concealed weapon case in an effort to prevent a \$1000 bond forfeiture was affirmed by the State Supreme Court Monday, was married at East St. Louis yesterday to Miss Esther Albert, 7121 Clayton avenue.

Cutter has been at liberty under bond since his conviction and an order for his incarceration in the penitentiary at Jefferson City is expected daily following the Supreme Court's decision denying him a new trial.

His first wife, Mrs. Beekie Cutter, 4609 Page boulevard, obtained a divorce and the custody of their

ADVERTISEMENT

AFFLICTED WITH CONSTIPATION 30 YEARS
Kellogg's ALL-BRAN brought relief in two weeks!

Read Mr. Weller's sincere tribute to the power of ALL-BRAN in relieving this dread disease:

"I have been constipated for the last 30 years. Have taken stuff from all over the world without any result. A couple of weeks ago I got a package of your ALL-BRAN. Have taken two spoonfuls with sugar and milk at every meal and ever since I am not constipated any more."

G. WELLER
South San Francisco, Cal.
Constipation leads to more than forty serious diseases. Don't let it begin its deadly work on you! Headaches, pimples, spots before the eyes, dizziness—all are tell-tale symptoms.

Kellogg's ALL-BRAN is guaranteed to relieve constipation. Eat two tablespoonfuls daily—in chronic cases, with every meal.

Kellogg's is 100% bran—100% effective. Delicious with cream or milk—and add fruits or honey. Use in cooking. Served and sold everywhere. Made by Kellogg in Battle Creek. Recipes on package.



Kellogg's ALL-BRAN
The adventure of the Frayed Pen Pocket
"Very simple," mused the great detective. The damage was caused by jamming and pulling a pen in and out. He should have bought

The CARTER PEN
The Perfect Writing Instrument

The Carter Rocket Spring Clip is built into the cap—a slight pressure on the spring opens clip and allows pen to be removed and replaced without pulling or jamming the pen pocket. It's an easy writer. Its flexible osmium point works while your fingers rest. Osmidium is the most durable pen point material known. See the new unbreakable Carline pen.

The Carter's Ink Co.
For blue-black inks use Carter's Fountain Pen Ink or Carter's Rocket for blue ink. See Carter's Blue-Black Ink.

a good writer—that's the point.

Try the Carter Pen at

Skinner & Kennedy Co.
416-18 North 4th Street
St. Louis, Mo.

Wholesale Distributors
Meyer Brothers Drug Co.
St. Louis, Mo.

Research Stationery & Sundry Co.
813 High Street
St. Louis, Mo.

two children last August, pleading general indigence.
Cutter, who is about 38 years old, and his bride declined to discuss their plans.

SEWER EXTENSION APPROVED
Estimated Cost of Rock Creek Project \$90,000.

A proposal ordinance providing for extension of the Rock Creek Sewer district from Kingshighway Southwest to Des Peres drive, was approved by the Board of Public Service today, following which it

will be sent to the Board of Aldermen for enactment. It is proposed to run Rock Creek, which flows through Christy Park, into the sewer so a roadway may be built connecting Kingshighway and Kansas street.

Kingshighway then will extend as a thoroughfare from Kansas street to Florissant avenue. It is planned eventually to extend the northern section of the boulevard to connect with Riverview drive. The estimated cost of the extension is \$90,000.

150 PER STOCK DIVIDEND
Equitable Assurance Co. Also Pays 30 Per Cent in Cash.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—American Equitable Assurance Co. of New York today declared an extra cash dividend of 40 per cent on the common stock, making a total of 100 per cent for 1927. A stock dividend of 150 per cent also was declared, giving to holders of 40,000 shares of common an additional 60,000 shares. Cash and stock dividends will be paid Dec. 20, to cars.

holders of record Dec. 18. The company's capital consists of \$500,000 preferred and the same amount of common.

Would Brand Autos for Fatalities.
CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—"Badges of shame" have been suggested at a meeting of the Public School Safety League for every motor car held responsible for an accident. J. Alger, a director of safety, said the badges might take the form of a red vehicle license tag to be displayed by offending

J. D. CARSON CO., 8th & FRANKLIN

Xmas Sale of Cedar Chests

Walnut Cedar Chest
At Left **\$15.90**
This beautiful console style chest, lined with genuine Tennessee red cedar full skirt-length size; handsomely ornamented.

Console Cedar Chest
At Right **\$33.75**
An elegant high console style chest of genuine walnut, lined with aromatic red cedar; hand-carved legs and front, 48 inches long.

\$1.00 Down

\$1.00 Weekly

OPEN EVERY NITE TO 9

\$195 - Room Outfits, \$98
\$294 Buys All 3 Rooms

CROSLEY Bantbox Radio
Installed in This Fine Cabinet
\$79
EASY TERMS
The Crosley 6-tube single-dial Bantbox fitted in this fine console cabinet, less accessories, only \$79.

6-Tube Fully Equipped RADIO SET \$69
In a Fine Console Cabinet
Ready to tune in—completely equipped with built-in speaker, console cabinet—6-tube set that gets everything. Easy terms.

Christmas Gift Specials

—On Easy Credit Terms

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| Lacquered End Tables
\$1.95 | Humidor Smokers
\$3.95 |
| Full-Size \$35 Chifforobes
\$16.85 | Complete Junior Lamps
\$5.45 |
| Child's Reed Rockers
\$4.95 | Complete Table Lamps
\$3.95 |
| \$50 Cogswell Chairs
\$28.85 | Fine Cabinet Smokers
\$6.85 |
| 5-Piece Oak Breakfast Set
\$31.75 | Junior Red Cedar Chests
\$7.95 |
| Antique Metal Book Ends
69c | Complete Boudoir Lamps
\$1.00 |

12-Pc. Living-Room Set
Only \$1.25 Weekly **\$98**
See this complete outfit—contains a genuine Kroehler lounge-cushion velvet dayport, club chair, end table, dayport table, sofa pillows, bridge lamp and shade, smoker stand, pair of book blocks and table lamp and shade—all only \$98.

15-Piece Bedroom Outfit
Only \$1.25 Weekly **\$98**
Beautifully designed and decorated set, comprising large dresser (or vanity), chifforobe, bow-end bed, coil spring, mattress, rocker, chair or bench, crinkled bedspread, pair pillows, two boudoir lamps and shades and rug.

10-Piece Kitchen Outfit
Only \$1.25 Weekly **\$98**
A kitchen completely equipped, including porcelain-top kitchen cabinet and stool, side-oven cabinet gas range, refrigerator, 5-piece breakfast set and a genuine continental rug. The greatest kitchen outfit offer in many years.

J.D. CARSON CO.
S. E. CORNER 8th & FRANKLIN AVE.
OPEN EVERY NIGHT

Pay Next Year

Store
\$1 WEEKLY
OPEN NIGHTS

Here's a variety to choose from for his Xmas gift! And you can save the cash. Just select his gift and take it home with you. A year to pay

A HANDSOME DIAMOND RING
In a distinctive and novel design that will more than please him. And a feature value at **\$42.50**

DIAMOND STUDD CUFF LINKS
In a range of very attractive designs. Set with sparkling diamonds in center. White gold, hand-etched, solid white gold. **\$21.75**

DIAMOND STUDD SCARF PIN
\$23.75
One of the most pleasing designs we have ever shown. Set with a dazzling diamond, 18k solid white gold. **\$1 A WEEK**

2 SPECIALS IN STRAP WATCHES
These are only 2 of dozens of different and attractive designs in good-looking strap watches. By all means try him one. **\$9.85**
OTHERS UP TO \$60

K-K THIS WEEK ONLY—BUY A CAN AND GET ONE ABSOLUTELY FREE
Cleans the closet bowl the sanitary way. No scrubbing necessary; simply sprinkle in bowl, allow time to dissolve stains and flush.
Harmless to bowl and connections. Keep K-K on hand at all times. Use a little each week in the bowl, it will keep the bowl shining and odorless, and is health insurance for the whole family.
Don't wait... take advantage of this FREE offer. **THIS WEEK ONLY.**
YOUR GROCER WILL SUPPLY YOU
The Chamberlain Company, Pittsburg, Pa.

For Radio Satisfaction
Look to **RCA RADIOLAS**
Now a New Super Model
Super-Superheterodyne
RCA Radiola 30-A, Custom Built, operated from the electric light outlet without batteries or liquid-containing devices.
Because of its extreme sensitivity, selectivity and tonal fidelity, Radiola 30-A is conceded to be the finest achievement in modern radio design.
Installed, \$495

The Season's Sensation RCA Radiola 17
PERFECTED 1-DIAL CONTROL
Marvelous Tone Quality and Volume
Just Set It on Your Living-Room Table and Attach It to Your Light Socket
THAT'S ALL
No Batteries or Eliminators
Set Only, \$130. Complete with 100A Speaker, \$192.50
In Beautiful Console and Desk Cabinets
Order Now for Xmas Delivery
Arrange for Demonstration in Your Home. No Obligation. Convenient Terms if Desired.
Brandt Electric Co.
904 PINE ST. Serving the Home Electrically Since 1886. Chestnut 9220

BUY CHRISTMAS CLOTHES ON CREDIT

Save Your Ready Cash for Xmas Gifts
Sale of Men's and Young Men's Suits, Single and Double Breasted, 1 or 2 Pants **\$29.50**

LADIES' BIGSALE
Fur-Trimmed COATS of Men's O'coats
In All the New Shades Up-to-the-Minute Styles
Loose Backs or Ulsterette Solid Colors or Plaids
\$27.50 \$29.50
Christmas Dresses, \$7.50 to \$25
Open Saturday Evening

STAR CREDIT CLOTHING CO.
510 WASHINGTON AVENUE



HERE SOON ONLY 7 MORE Shopping Days
HAVE YOU FINISHED?
Shop Early in the Day!

Medal for Parish Committee Head.
A gold medal was presented to Patrick J. Gibbons of 1862 Union boulevard, at the annual meeting last night of the married men's sodality of St. Mark's Church, 2400 boulevard and Academy avenue. The presentation was made by the

Rev. P. J. O'Rourke, pastor, in recognition of Gibbons' activities as chairman of the Parish Committee in the campaign to raise funds for a Junior Seminary. The parish quota was \$50,000 and \$50,000 was subscribed.

"MOTHER OF AMERICAN CANDIES"



A CHRISTMAS NECESSITY

Christmas without Martha Washington Candies to give a full measure of yuletide cheer to everyone would be like Santa Claus without whiskers.

For a generation these delicious candies have been considered a part of the very spirit of Christmas.

To complete Christmas for the home folks, or for those far away, order your Martha Washington Candies now and avoid the worry and hurry.

TWO STORES
719 OLIVE
Chemical Bldg.

603 N. GRAND
University Club Bldg.

EliSheets
Martha Washington Candies

70c Pound

By Parcel Post the Country Over

OPEN EVENINGS TO 9 O'CLOCK UNTIL CHRISTMAS

Special for Xmas
This Beautiful
Lacquered
Smokers' Stand

Absolutely Free with any
purchase of \$25 or over.
Hurry in for yours today,
as our supply is limited.

FREE

Stand
Measures
Almost
3 Feet in
Height

Only One
to a
Customer

For Special
Selling Until
Xmas

350
Richly
Fur-Trimmed

COATS

Fashionable
Coats of fine
Winter materials.
All richly
fur-trimmed—the new
wanted colors.
Every size at

\$25.98

No Cash
NEEDED

Choose Now—
Pay Next Year

Men! Dress Up

Step in and Get Your
All-Wool SUITS
and **O'COATS**

You'll like the unusual
tailoring and smart
patterns of these garments.
Single and double-breasted
in a complete range of
styles, sizes and colors.
Priced from

\$27.50

LIBERAL

709A Washington Ave.—2d Floor
Upstairs Over ShoeMart

INDUSTRIAL CLUB MAKING SURVEY OF CITY'S PROGRESS

**Record of Trade Advantages
Will Be Basis of 4-Year
\$1,000,000 Advertising
Campaign.**

**TAKES OVER WORK
DONE BY THE CITY**

**Purpose Is to Bring New
Industries to St. Louis—
Frank C. Rand Is Elected
President.**

A comprehensive survey of the advantages and progress of St. Louis now being made will form the basis of an advertising campaign by the Industrial Club, it was made known at a meeting of the club at Congress Hotel last night. The survey is under the supervision of George C. Smith, director of the club.

Heretofore the municipal advertising campaign has been carried on under the sponsorship of the city administration, the Chamber of Commerce and the Advertising Club. In recent years approximately \$75,000 has been spent annually, the city matching whatever amount the business interests raised with a like sum from the city treasury.

\$1,000,000 for Advertising.
The Industrial Club has a fund of \$1,000,000, raised by business men of the city several months ago, with which to conduct advertising campaigns and obtain new industries for the city. The money is to be spent over a four-year period.

Walter B. Weisenburger, who for many years has served as a member of the committee directing the municipal advertising campaign, presided at last night's meeting. He said the continuity of the advertising done heretofore was being carried on through the St. Louis News Service, which sends articles, most of which originate in St. Louis newspapers, to newspapers of other centers.

Rail Rate Advantages.
Most of the advertising will be done within the enlarged St. Louis trade territory, Weisenburger said. One of the phases of the advertising will be based on the advantages accruing to St. Louis firms by the recent decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission, by which freight rates to the Southeast have been lowered.

Officers nominated without opposition several weeks ago, were formally elected at the meeting. They are: President, Frank C. Rand; vice-presidents, Thomas N. Dysart, and L. W. Baldwin; treasurer, J. L. Ford Jr.; and secretary, C. B. Adams. Directors whose terms expire in 1928 are Aaron S. Raub, Weisenburger and Harrison Hobitzel; 1929, Andrew Johnson, L. Wade Childress and William V. Nardin; 1930, Harold M. Bixby, D. D. Nims and R. S. Hawes.

**GRAND JURY TO INVESTIGATE
JUSTICE COURT METHODS**

Shooting of Man in Kansas City by
Deputy Constable Causes
Prosecutor to Act.

By the Associated Press.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 16.—A grand jury investigation of the operation of collection agencies and deputy constables in justice of the peace courts will be made here next month as a result of the fatal shooting yesterday of Joseph Weber by R. F. Ryland, a Deputy Constable.

Announcement of the pending investigation was made last night by County Prosecutor Page. The purpose of the investigation will be to find out how many persons have deputy constable commissions and their connection with collection agencies and collection lawyers.

Weber was shot and killed in his home following an argument over a \$15 judgment obtained against his son, Karl P. Weber, a cripple, in the Justice Court of M. D. Walter.

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TWO NEW FARM RELIEF BILLS OFFERED IN SENATE

Measure Introduced by Borah Provides Billion Dollar Fund to Aid Crop Sales.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The Senate has received two new suggestions for remedying the condition of the farmer, one from a Western Republican and the other from a Southern Democrat.

A Government-controlled agricultural corporation with a capital stock of \$1,000,000,000 was proposed in a bill by Senator Borah of Idaho to deal out economic assistance to the farmer in the production and marketing of his basic crops and a measure introduced by Senator Caraway of Arkansas provided for expatriation of surplus crops and importation duty free of an equivalent value in foreign products.

Under the Caraway plan, the farmer would receive certificates or debentures showing the amount shipped out of the country. For these and bills of lading he would be given a custom certificate entitling him to receive the duty-free foreign merchandise.

The board of directors of the

corporation proposed by Senator Borah would consist of the Secretary of Agriculture and eight members appointed by the President. It would be empowered to acquire and operate storage warehouses, make loans to co-operative and marketing associations at low rates of interest and to lend to banks which in turn would make loans to individual farmers.

Burglar Gets \$1515 in Loot.
Jewelry and clothing valued at \$1025 and \$490 in cash was reported stolen yesterday from the home of Elmer Stocker of 4753 Labadie avenue. The tool, which had been used to force open a window, was found near the window.

A link in the evidence will be the identification by several Alburnett residents of an automobile, found wrecked in a Sterling, Ill. garage, as the one in which the robbers escaped from the scene of the holdup.

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MAGRUDER LAYS SOME NAVY MILLS TO POLITICS

House Committee Department Is "Trying to Befog the Issue."

By CHARLES G. ROSS,
Chief Washington Correspondent of
the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Rear Admiral Thomas P. Magruder, continuing today his testimony before the House Naval Affairs Committee, took back none of the published strictures which lately

commanded him to be deprived of the command of the Philadelphia Navy yard. Magruder said that his criticism of the Navy was directed wholly at the administrative end, and that most of his suggestions could be put into effect by the department without new legislation.

He spoke, he said, in the interest of the taxpayers. The committee heard Magruder with close attention and invited him to come back Monday for questioning.

Charges Log Rolling.
Particular stress was laid by the Admiral on his contention that money is wasted in the maintenance of useless navy yards established as the result of log rolling in Congress. Some of the members of the committee including Chairman Butler indicated their entire agreement with him on this point.

"The Navy Department," said Magruder, "accuses me of being a destructive critic. I maintain that my criticisms are constructive. I am interested solely in seeing that the money appropriated for the Navy, whatever the amount, is expended with as great economy as is consistent with the efficiency of the navy."

It would be real economy, Admiral Magruder said, to place in commission the 200 destroyers built since 1917-18 and now deteriorating at navy yards.

Too Many Bureaus.
He declared that there were too many bureaus dealing with repairs to ships that an excessive amount of paper work was required in the navy, that as a result of over-organization at Washington, commanders, both ashore and afloat, were left with too little discretion in the discharge of their duties.

He said the navy pay system involved the vicious principle of allowing higher pay to married men than to bachelors, so that some officers receive compensation not justified by their rank and duties.

In support of his contention that repair work costs too much at navy yards, Magruder said that three ships of the Government fleet merchant marine were repaired at a cost of \$250,000 each in private yards, while the cost of similar work on another ship of the same class was \$400,000 in the New York navy yard.

"The Navy Department," said Magruder, "has made misleading statements in reply to my suggestions. The department seeks to defog the issue."

**NEW HIGH SCHOOL URGED FOR
SOUTHWEST PART OF ST. LOUIS**

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Two Sites, One in Corner
of Forest Park.

A new high school for the southwestern section of St. Louis was proposed last night in resolutions adopted by the South Forest Park Improvement Association in the Dewey School, Central and Clayline avenues. Two sites were proposed, one at Kingshighway and Arsenal street and the other on a six-acre tract in Forest Park at the intersection of Kingshighway and Oakland avenue.

Ben Weidick, president of the board of education, who was present and addressed the meeting, favored the proposal and suggested that the organization submit the project to a meeting of the board.

A committee for this purpose was appointed, composed of Arthur E. Wierheide, Charles Lisch and James P. O'Gorman.

**TEACHER AND WOMAN FOUND
DEAD IN CHURCH BASEMENT**

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church, when he unlocked the
doors for a committee meeting.
A small gas heater was burning
and all the doors and win-
dows were closed. A Deputy Cor-
oner said the heater apparently had
burned up all the oxygen in the
room and he gave a verdict of ac-
cidental death.

The German Tariff Bill Adopted.
BERLIN, Dec. 16.—The Reich-
stag today adopted a new tariff
bill on automobile parts, fixing the
import duty at 100 marks per 200
kilos, effective Jan. 15, 1928. The
German mark is quoted on the New
York market at almost 24 cents.
The new German tariff classifica-
tion on imported automobile parts
described as most unfortunate
this week by George F.
director of the National Au-
tomobile Chamber of Commerce.
His statement, issued Monday,
urged the German Govern-
ment to reconsider the proposed
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SIX ARRESTED FOR HOLDUP
AND THEFT OF TWO AUTOS

Six young men of East St. Louis, arrested last night, are held in connection with the holdup of a saloon last Wednesday and the theft of two automobiles. Each, according to police, has admitted participation in the alleged offenses. Those held gave these names: Frank Mattison, Julius

Goetz, Charles Wuerst, Peter Koes, Jack Brewer and Elmer Ponce. All gave East St. Louis addresses. Brewer, Mattison and Ponce were arrested, police said, after they had been identified as the men who held up the bar of Frank Kusiar, 701 Exchange avenue. In alleged statements, the other three men were named by them as associates in the holdup and in the theft of the machines, according to police. The circumstances will be presented to the State's Attorney today in application by the police for warrants, it was announced.

CREW QUILTS BEACHED SHIP
Row 13 Miles in Open Boat to Report Mishap.
KEY WEST, Fla., Dec. 16.—Capt. O. Scott and his crew of four men from the schooner Albert Meyer, en route from Mobile to Key West and Jacksonville, reached here yesterday after 13 hours' rowing in an open boat, and reported his vessel hard aground at Marquesa, 15 miles from this port. An inspection boat after a trip to Marquesa reported little prospect of floating the vessel, which carried a cargo of cedar logs.

SMOKE DENSITY REDUCED
8 PER CENT IN NORTH ST. LOUIS
Smoke density, as observed by use of the standard Ringelmann chart, in certain residential and commercial sections of North St. Louis has been reduced from the index figure of 18 per cent noted last year to 8 per cent now found, the Citizens' Smoke Abatement League announced. The district observed centers on Grand boulevard, between Sullivan and Natural Bridge avenues, and on West Florissant avenue in the vicinity of Warne avenue. This year's readings were made by inspectors of the league a few days ago. Similar readings are being made

at industrial plants, hotels and large apartment houses throughout the city, and findings will be compiled by the league later.

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\$35 "Boston" style; an attractive new style and a splendid, comfortable gift. Deep spring seat, upholstered arms, coverings of tapestry, velours and Jacquard.

Coxwell Chair With Footstool \$37.50
Special Coxwell Chair with footstool...an ideal combination. In tapestry or Jacquard, fringe trimmed, with comfortable spring cushion in the chair. \$50.00 value.

Carved Occasional Chair \$15.75
A popular gift this season is the carved frame chair shown, upholstered in tapestry and velour, with comfortable tufted seat.

Radio or Occasional Bench \$8.75
Highly decorative wrought iron Bench 24 inches long, with crimson velour seat, set in front of the radio console.

Large-Sized Spinnet Desk \$19.75
Quaint Colonial style, mahogany veneered top, mahogany-finished gumwood legs.

Bridge or Junior Lamps \$2.95
Wrought iron bases, parchment-finished shades. A limited number offered below cost to close out. (Wired complete.)

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Smoker \$1.00
\$2 decorated wrought iron style as shown at left, with ash receiver and match holder on separate arms.

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Attractive stand with handy shelves. Nickle-plated fittings. In mahogany finished gum. (At left.)

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Easily carried stand in mahogany with decorative lines. Complete with receptacles. (At left.)

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Mahogany finished Humidor Stand at left with nickle-plated fittings. \$5.50 value.

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\$15 Tennessee Red Cedar Chest with copper trim. Big and roomy, only
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Large, well-built davenport in which is concealed a full-size coil-spring bed, also club chair and fireside chair. The three pieces have carved top rails and frames, deep seats and backs, loose cushions with heavy, durable upholstery, covered with figured velour.
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A special purchase of these walnut Suites at a great price concession enables us to offer these nine large pieces in antique walnut finish with all flat surfaces in genuine walnut veneer. Large pedestal extension table, 60-inch buffet, china cabinet, five side chairs and one host's chair (tapestry seats).
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\$60 Mahogany Secretary \$39.75
Colonial mahogany veneered Secretary, as pictured, with attractively paneled glass doors in top. A decorative piece of furniture.

Bird Cage Stand \$1.95
\$5 wrought iron standard on weighted base, decorated in colors.

Covered Footstool \$1.75
Dainty footstools in walnut-finished gumwood, tops covered in odd pieces of velour, Jacquard, etc.

Imported Girandoles \$16.50
Three-light Girandoles for buffet or console, crystal plaques on genuine bronze. \$35 value.

Doll Sully \$1.65
A dainty inexpensive style in enamel finish for the tot who plays with dolls.

"Taylor Tot" \$4.95
Ivory enameled combination kiddie car, go-cart and baby walker.

Doll Bassinet \$1.95
On wheels, enameled; ivory, blue or pink—just the right size for large dolls.

Child's Rocker \$1.75
Comfortable oak Arm Rocker, with imitation leather seat. Just the right size.

Doll Carriage \$2.45
Rubber-tired style in enamel finish, with hood, just like a big one.

Kitchen Cabinet \$1.25
Toy Cabinets in white enamel or golden oak, with miniature food cartons.

Table, \$4.95
Gray or ivory enamel folding Table and Chairs to match. A dandy little set.

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SAYS METER READERS CANNOT BE FORCED TO REPORT STILLS

Assistant U. S. Attorney Declares, However, That They Could Be Considered as Accomplices.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 15.—Commenting on an order issued by David Daly, president of the Blackstone Valley Gas & Electric Co., that 120 meter readers of the concern report all evidences of law violation, particularly presence of liquor stills, on their routes, Russell P. Jones, Assistant United States District Attorney, said the government could not force reports from employees "unless the situation reached the stage where they could be considered accomplices." He said refusal of companies to act in cases of specific stills could be considered as an aid to law violators.

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Testifies at Kansas City, Kan., on Conditions at Leavenworth Ho.

Described in Post-Dispatch.

By the Associated Press.

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A subpoena was issued for Forbes following the publication in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch of his assertions concerning narcotics at Leavenworth, both of them before he went before the grand jury.

Warden White and H. S. Forrer, United States' narcotic agent at Kansas City, Mo., were on hand to testify. Forbes conferred with both of them before he went before the grand jury.

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Before entering the grand jury room, the witness refused to enlarge on his assertion that traffic in narcotics had wrought havoc among inmates of the penitentiary and that an organized ring was operating at the prison. Forbes said he would tell the grand jury all he knew and after he had completed his testimony he would have an additional statement for the public.

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David W. Hill Chosen Chairman of Movement to Increase Pay to \$1000 Per Session.

A campaign for an increase in the pay of members of the Missouri Legislature from the present rate of \$5 a day to \$1000 for each biennial session was organized yesterday at a meeting at Hotel Statler.

David W. Hill, former Speaker of the House, was elected chairman of the Campaign Committee. R. T. Wood, president of the Missouri Federation of Labor, was elected vice president, and former Judge Daniel G. Taylor, a member of the last Constitutional Convention, treasurer.

An amendment to the Constitution to increase Legislators' compensation will be submitted at the election next November.

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**FARMER ACQUITTED IN POISON
DEATH OF DAUGHTER-IN-LAW**
By the Associated Press.
BLAKELEY, Ga., Dec. 16.—Follow-
ing the acquittal of Harris
Hayes, 60-year-old farmer, of a
charge of murder in connection
with the alleged poisoning of his
17-year-old daughter-in-law,
Gladys Gould Hayes, of Detroit,
the other indictments against Hayes
and his wife were nolle prossed
last night.

There were two other indict-
ments against Hayes and three
against Mrs. Hayes in connection
with the deaths of their two sons,
James and Amos, and the daugh-
ter-in-law. Hayes and his wife had
been held without bail for three
months.

AUTO SWINDLERS SENTENCED
Former Mayor of Mount Pleasant,
Mich., One of 4 to Go to Prison.
By the Associated Press.
BAY CITY, Mich., Dec. 16.—Four
men were convicted by a Federal
jury last night of using the mails
to defraud the American Finance
Co. of Springfield, Ill., by means
of false automobile contracts. Ly-
man Burch, former Mayor of
Mount Pleasant, Mich., and Clif-
ford Ruble, were sentenced to serve
18 months in the Federal peniten-
tiary at Leavenworth; Frank Quin-
lan, 18 months in Leavenworth
penitentiary, and Robert Burns,
three months in the Mount Pleas-
ant jail.

NEGRO STABS TWO WOMEN
Carbondale Assault Springs at
Them From Dark Alley.
CARBONDALE, Ill., Dec. 16.—Two
young women, Miss Mary
Costner, student at the Touch-
ers College here, and Miss Anna
Nicolades, 25 years old, were
stabbed by a Negro who sprang
upon them from dark alleyways.
They were attacked about a half
hour apart.

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**NEW FIRE ESCAPE
LAW PROPOSED BY
DIRECTOR BROD**

**Survey Is Begun of Fire-
proof as Well as Old
Buildings Which House
Many People.**

**ACTION PROMPTED BY
BUCKINGHAM FIRE**

**Danger of Suffocation by
Smoke as Great in Mod-
ern as in Older Struc-
tures, He Says.**

Adequate fire escapes for all pub-
lic, private, institutional and com-
mercial buildings in St. Louis of
more than two stories, where peo-
ple live, work or congregate, will
be provided for by Director of
Public Safety Brod in an ordi-
nance prompted by the Bucking-
ham Hotel Annex fire of Dec. 5,
in which seven guests lost their
lives.

Even fireproof office buildings,
to which an exception is made
under the present ordinance, passed
in 1917, will be required.
Brod said today, either to inclose
open stairways where there are no
fire escapes, or provide other
means of safe egress in event of
fire.

Shortly after the Buckingham
Annex fire Director Brod assigned
inspectors to make a thorough sur-
vey of fire escapes on all old hot-
els, apartments, lodging houses
and downtown loft buildings where
large numbers of persons are
housed or employed. Some reports
have been made in this survey,
but not all of them are in. Brod
said, and he is awaiting a com-
pletion of the survey before drafting
the proposed ordinance.

"The structures that concern
me most," said Director Brod, "are
those where people sleep or work
in large numbers, such as in old
lodging houses and loft buildings.
Hospitals and modern hotels and
factories as a rule have ample
means of escape in case of fire."
"I intend to make a personal in-
spection of the office buildings,
of modern as well as old-style con-
struction. I see no reason why
they should be excepted, because
the hazard from suffocation by
smoke is just as great in one place
as another. The modern office
building is a comparatively safe
place in case of fire, but there
should be a ready means of exit in
case of emergency, especially to
escape suffocation by smoke. I
expect to have the new ordinance
ready for drafting within 10 days
or two weeks."

Director Brod favors an inclosed
fire escape within a building, that
is entered outside from a balcony
on each floor level, such as the
National Bank of Commerce Build-
ing and some modern hotel apart-
ments are equipped with. There is
no possibility for smoke within a
building to get into an exit of this
kind.

Some of the more modern office
buildings downtown have inclosed
fire escapes or stairways protected
by fire walls and steel doors on
each floor level, but if the doors
are held open in a rush to enter
them smoke could get in from the
corridors of the buildings. In such
a contingency, Director Brod said,
suffocation would be aided by the
excitement of the situation.

Panic the Chief Danger.
"But the inclosed stairways
could be made safe with reason-
able care in case of fire," said Di-
rector Brod. "And owners of these
buildings will be only asked to place
the office or stairway protected by
orderly march from a smoke-filled
building is the safest measure I can
think of. Overcrowding and tramp-
ling is often more disastrous than
loss to life by fire itself."

"There are many modern office
buildings downtown of steel and
concrete construction, that could
not burn in case of fire in the stock
or equipment of any of the rooms,
and that have no fire escapes or
inclosed stairways. Should a fire
occur in rooms on any of the lower
floors, or in the basement, an up-
draft through elevator shafts or
the open stairways would fill the
building with smoke and other
cause a panic or possibly death
from suffocation among those
crowding down the stairways. It
is rare, however, that such fires
result in loss of life, as there is
probably no safe place in case of
fire than the modern office build-
ing."

"But we should have the maxi-
mum of safety from fire in all
buildings regardless of type, and
cost, and I shall aim to make the
proposed new ordinance the last
word in safety measures."

Capen Suggests Safety Devices.
The Fire Protection Bureau of
St. Louis would like to aid Direc-
tor Brod in compiling data for his
new ordinance. Sam D. Capen,
president of the bureau, said it
had valuable data from a fire haz-
ard viewpoint on every building in
the city.

"We would like to see adequate
fire escapes on every building in
the city that needs them, and more
means of exit on some buildings
that already have inclosed stair-
ways or outside metal ladders,"
Capen added. Not one building

should be neglected. To do so
might cost a life.
"There are other dangers to cope
with as well. All high-powered
electrical apparatus should be in-
closed in fire-proof inclosures, and
drifts from basements, where most
fires start, cut off from the upper
floors. The cost would be in-
finitesimal as compared with the
frightful cost in loss of life in the
Buckingham Annex fire."

The president of a company that
operates several large downtown
modern office buildings, some of
which have only open stairways as
a means of escape in case of fire,
also expressed the opinion that an
open stairway in case of fire of-
fered no protection from suffoca-
tion by smoke. He also pointed to
the fire escape on the National
Bank of Commerce building, which
is entered from a balcony outside,
as the ideal means of exit in any
emergency.

Ready to Co-operate.
"Some of our buildings are 20
years old, but they are of steel and
concrete construction and would
not burn," he said, "but they were
erected in the day before the in-
closed stairway, which we expect
to inclose to comply with the pro-
posed new ordinance. We have not
done so before because of the faint
likelihood of any fire at all. We
also have sprinkler systems in our
buildings, which ought to snuff
a fire in any room, and we believe
our occupants could escape before
a smoke of any great density could
accumulate. But we are in accord
with the new idea of greater safe-
ty, and will spare no expense to

comply with the proposed new
safety measures."

Director Brod pointed out that
there are many lodging houses
along Market street, Broadway and
Fourth street, in the central sec-
tion of the city, that house thou-
sands of laborers, mostly transients,
where a stricter adherence to safe-
ty measures and fire prevention
will be demanded in the proposed
new ordinance. A fire in this quar-
ter, he added, might result in
frightful loss of life, especially on
a winter's night, when such places
are crowded, some to overflowing.
This group includes the cheap hot-
els of old construction.

**RUMANIA APOLOGIZES TO
AMERICAN HURT BY STUDENTS**
Wilfred N. Keller Presents Claim
for Injuries; Payment to
Close Incident.

BUCHAREST, Dec. 16.—The Ru-
manian Government today present-
ed its apologies to Wilfred N. Kel-
ler of Oradea Mare and Linden
Hall, Pa., and its regrets for in-
juries he received last week at the
hands of rioting students.

Keller, who is still in bed due
to his injuries, was visited by the
prefect of the department, the po-
lice prefect or Oradea Mare, and
the director of police.

The American has written to the
American Minister here, William
S. Culbertson, giving an estimate
of the amount of damages he suf-
fered. It is understood that the
case will be closed when the Gov-
ernment receives the minister's
note containing Keller's claim.

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\$6 Value... \$3.98

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FRESH BOCKWURST, Pound, 26c
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CHICKENS FRESH DRESSED LB. **32c**

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Home Economics

RICH SPICY FRUIT CAKE ADDS TO HOLIDAY SPIRIT

The Making of Fruit Cake Is by No Means a Difficult Matter.

It is by no means too late to make fruit cake. If the recipes that have been published in previous issues of the Post-Dispatch do not appeal, try one of these recipes and have a fruit cake that is entirely different.

Chocolate Fruit Cake.

Take two squares bitter chocolate, one-half cup water, one-third cup butter, one cup sugar, one teaspoon flavoring, one-half cup sour milk, two eggs, one-fourth cup candied cherries, one-half cup dates, one-fourth cup nuts, one and one-half cups sifted flour, one teaspoon baking powder, one-half teaspoon salt and two-thirds teaspoon baking soda.

Cook chocolate in water until dissolved and set aside to cool. Cream butter; add sugar and cream again. Add unbeaten eggs, one at a time, beating thoroughly after each addition. Add chopped fruits and nuts and when well mixed add together until the color has become milk and flavoring; then fold in

How To Color Sugar.

Colored sugar aids in making an attractive cookie. If you are unable to get the desired shade of sugar, color it yourself. Add a few drops of vegetable coloring to a handful of sugar and rub the sugar together until the color has become

thoroughly mixed.

stirred dry ingredients and chocolate. Bake in a loaf in a moderate oven 45 minutes.

Swan White Fruit Cake.
Take four cups cake flour, one teaspoon baking powder, one-half teaspoon salt, one pound almonds, 10 egg whites, one cup shortening, one and one-half cups sugar, one tablespoon lemon juice, one pound raisins, one-half pound citron, finely shaved, one-half pound each of candied pineapple, lemon peel, orange peel and Maraschino cherries. Sift flour, baking powder, soda and salt three times. Cream shortening and sugar; all finely cut, blanched almonds with chopped fruits and lemon juice; fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Bake in paper-lined bread pans in slow oven two and one-half hours. This recipe fills six pans.

Now—you can avoid baking failures!

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ST. LOUIS



Menus for the Week

SATURDAY	
Breakfast	Luncheon
Apple sauce with stewed raisins	*Tomato, and cheese
Cereal	Grape fruit and date salad with honey dressing
Whole wheat bread, toasted	Glazer, wafers
Coffee	Tea Coffee Milk
SUNDAY	
Breakfast	Dinner
Grape fruit	Roast chicken
Cereal	Browned sweet potatoes
Corn muffins	Brussels sprouts
Coffee	Celery salad
MONDAY	
Breakfast	Luncheon
Orange juice	Oyster stew
Fried scrapple with fried apple slices	Corn crackers
Coffee	Letitice sandwiches
TUESDAY	
Breakfast	Luncheon
Baked apples	Chicken soup
Cereal	Oranges and date salad
Raisin bread, toasted	Cottage cheese and ginger bread
Coffee	Tea Coffee Milk
WEDNESDAY	
Breakfast	Luncheon
Sliced oranges	Creamed shrimp with
Fried cornmeal mush with maple syrup	boiled rice
Coffee	Raw celery
THURSDAY	
Breakfast	Luncheon
Stewed flax	Stuffed baked potatoes
Scrambled eggs and	Chopped onion salad
Whole wheat bread, toasted	*Jellied potato salad
Coffee	Tea Coffee Milk
FRIDAY	
Breakfast	Luncheon
Tangerines	Baked peppers stuffed
Cereal	with rice and cheese
Tomato on toast	Baked potatoes
Toasted white bread	Peas and carrots
Coffee	Tea Coffee Milk

FRESH POULTRY AND GAME AT THEIR BEST IN WINTER

Though Refrigeration Makes It Possible to Buy Poultry All Year Around.

One of the joys of winter days is the poultry and game that find their way to the market from November to March. The holiday season is almost synonymous with turkey—in fact. Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year would lose much of their attraction if that noble bird or one close of kin did not form the center of the meal. Quail, partridge, duck and deer may be out of your reach financially unless you live in the country, or unless some member of the family is a good hunter. But there are other seasonal varieties of game and poultry that are reasonable in price and within the reach of all pocketbooks.

The term, poultry, includes all domestic birds that are fitted for food—turkey, domesticated duck, goose, chicken, guinea fowl, quail and pigeon. These being flesh foods, belong, of course, to the protein group, but they have not the stimulating quality of the red meats, and most of them are very easily digested. Ducks and geese, because of the large amount of fat they contain, are about the only exception to this rule.

New Luncheon Dessert.

Chocolate waffles for lunch are delicious served with a spoonful of ice cream.

FILL PANTRY SHELF WITH XMAS SUPPLIES

Buy Now What Will Be Needed for the Holiday Baking and Cooking.

The week before Christmas generally the time that most housekeepers consider the making of a good supply of food for the extra baking and cooking that is always done during the Christmas holidays.

If the housewife goes to the store and makes a list of the things that are needed for the extra baking and cooking, she will find that her list is not very long. She will find that she needs a good supply of flour, sugar, butter, eggs, and a good supply of the things that are needed for the extra baking and cooking.

There may be other things that are needed for the extra baking and cooking, but these are the things that are most needed. A careful housewife will find that these are the things that are most needed.

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When you are tired, or the appetite flags for any reason whatever, a hot drink proves most welcome. It seems to be restful and capable of stimulating the appetite for food.

A great many people get on very well with no other beverage than water. So does the camel. But, as has been asked for ages, who wants to be a camel?

It is the custom in every country to serve some sort of beverage with the meal. Somehow or other this practice has always been a matter of debate. It is perfectly scientific to make use of one solvent or another. Without fluid a substantial meal would be difficult to swallow.

There can be no doubt that too many persons depend on the table beverage to soften and dissolve the food. This is a mistake, of course. The saliva has that function to perform and another important one, besides. The salivary secretion has the power to create a chemical change in the starchy foods. Since most of our eatables consist of starch, the preparation of such foods for digestion has been neglected. This is the reason why chewing the food is so necessary.

But there need be no failure to mix the food with the saliva, even though a beverage is made a part of the meal. You may safely indulge in a reasonable use of tea or coffee without detracting from the beneficial effects of the salivary secretion.

To my mind there is nothing but benefit in the temperate drinking of tea and coffee, properly made. What do I mean by "properly made?"

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FRIDAY	Luncheon Baked peppers stuffed with rice and cheese Baked potatoes Pineapple salad Crackers Tea Coffee Milk	Dinner Cream of pea soup Roasted halibut Lemon sauce French fried potatoes Stewed carrots Watermelon salad Brown Betty Coffee Tea Milk

Recipes for dishes so marked in above menus may be found in Week's Menu, published in today's Home Economics Dispatch. (Copyright, 1927.)

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Buy now what you are going to
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and cooking (except, of course, the
perishables that must be bought
needed). You will save a lot of
time and trouble and money, and
your goodies will really effect
saving in your table budget, which
ordinarily goes a bit higher at
Holiday time.

Take a good look at the pantry
shelves of neighbor who is also
a housewife who plans well ahead
of the feastdays. She has just
finished stocking the shelves for
the heavy inroads which the hol-
iday cooking will make.

There you will find flour, bak-
ing powder, pastry flour, butter,
shortening vegetable and animal
sugar, white, brown and powdered,
cider, marshmallows, baking soda,
canned milk, molasses, coconut,
corn syrup, candied fruits, nuts,
dates, figs, raisins, canned vegeta-
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There may be other articles
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generally speaking, the above list
includes all of the groceries needed.

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added to the tea and cream to the
coffee. They may be taken with or
without sugar.

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coffee under these conditions. They
are refreshing and mildly stimulat-
ing. Unquestionably they help to
make a meal attractive and ap-
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2-lb. Can Calif. Asparagus Cuts, 25c
Sourkrout (bring pack), 3 lbs., 10c
Coffee, Santos, fresh roasted, lb., 29c
Coff. Jumbo Prunes, pound, 10c
Calif. Exported Peaches, lb., 20c
Thompson's Seedless Raisins, lb., 10c
Hone-Such Mince Meat, pkg., 15c
Peanut or Buckwheat, package, 10c

5 LBS. SUGAR 25c
With 50c Groceries
EGGS AND MILK
EXCLUDED

Libby's Baked Beans, tomato sauce,
3 lb. can, 25c
Pure Apple Powder & Malt, big can, 80c
Pure Apple Butter, quart jar, 20c
Peanut Butter, fresh ground, lb., 15c
Seasoned, fresh ground, in cans, 15c
Kaffir Nuts, 2 pounds, 5c
Peas, 2c; Brazil, lb. 28c
Almonds, lb. 25c Almonds, lb. 20c

SALT
3 Reg. 5c Pkgs.
10c
Iodized, 10c
Free-
Running, 10c

CAULIFLOWER—Nice, snow-white, heavy
heads, 10c, 15c and 20c
ICEBERG LETTUCE—Clean, full heads, 3 for 10c
BEETS—New Texas, bunch, 5c
CALIFORNIA FIGS—3 packages, 10c

PORK
Shoulders, 12c Lb.
Chuck Roast, lb., 11c | Chuck Prime, lb., 13c
STEAK
Tenderloin, Porterhouse, Sirloin, lb., 18c
BEEF
Shoulder, 20c
Leg or Ribs, lb., 16c

Veal
Breast, 11c
Shoulder, 11c
Chops, lb., 11c
Lamb
Leg, 16c
Shoulder, 16c
Frankfurters, Bologna, lb., 15c

BACON 2 to 4 lb. 24c
HAM Water-cured, 35c

2 LBS. LARD .23c

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New Fruit Salad.
Dispose heart leaves of lettuce
on a serving dish, above set groups
of peeled and sliced heart leaves, sec-
tions of orange freed of all mem-
brane, and slices of pineapple sep-
arated into small triangular pieces.

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1426 Salisbury
2607-09 Cherokee 1213 S. Broadway

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MAID MALT**

Leads All Others in Body-Strength
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AMERICAN MAID MALT is used in almost every home in
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MALT is proof beyond doubt that it is giving perfect sat-
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1.80
VALUE FOR
3 BIG 3-lb. CANS
(REGULAR PRICE 60c CAN)

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6-CAN LIMIT

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ONCE TRIED YOU WILL ALWAYS USE IT**

EVER-GOOD EGGS
Extra Large, Put Up in Cartons, DOZ. 25c

With every pound of Rich Valley, Lb. 40c
"FINEST SPREAD FOR BREAD"

SWISS CHEESE
The finest, direct from Switzerland, (An 80c Value)
DOMESTIC SWISS, lb. 45c
IMP. ROQUEFORT CHEESE, lb. 70c
N. Y. CHEDDAR CHEESE, lb. 40c
L. S. V. LIMBURGER CHEESE, lb. 30c
WISCONSIN CREAM CHEESE, lb. 33c
FULL CREAM BRICK, lb. 33c
HAND CHEESE, 3 for 40c
LAKESHIRE SWISS, lb. 44c
LAKESHIRE PIMENTO, lb. 40c
LAKESHIRE BRI-DENZER, lb. 40c
LAKESHIRE AMERICAN, lb. 38c

Sugar
10 Lbs. 57c
10-lb. Limit

EGGS
FRESH ROASTED JUMBO PEANUTS, 15c
PEANUT BUTTER, Made while you wait, Lb. 25c
BOTTLE CROWNS, Gross, Lb. 15c
EAGLE MILK, Can, 16c

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Adelaide and Delmar Union and Vernon 4770 Delmar
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CAPONS
Fancy, 1b. 39½c
Size

Leg of Lamb
Young and Tender, 1b. 29½c

Smoked Beef Tongue, lb. 20c
Without copy of this ad. 25c

Rolling Rib Roast, lb. 31½c

Holiday Beverages
Conrad's carry the largest line of beverages in St. Louis; and
our direct buying enables us to sell at lower than regular prices.

Jung's Cordials, Bottle, 98c, Case, \$11.00
Apricot, Peach, Manhattan, Martini, Creme de Menthe, Cacao,
Gin, Sicc Gin, Ojen, Curacao, Kuemmel, Grenadine, Etc.

Sparkling Grape Juice
Sparkles and looks like cham-
pagne; Theonett brand; large
bottle, \$1.48; case of 12, \$15.75;
medium bottle, 75c;
dozen, \$8.75

Five Fruit Syrup
A wonderful pure Fruit Syrup
with a raspberry base; highly
concentrated; fine for flavor-
ing lemonades, soda and other
beverages; quart bottle, 75c
dozen, \$7.50

VERMOUTH
The genuine Martini and Rossi
imported; non-alcoholic; Ital-
ian (sweet) and French style
(dry); case of 12, \$15.75;
bottle, \$1.48

GINGER ALE
Cantrell and Cochran's, im-
ported, dozen, \$2.50; American,
case of 12, \$25.00; bottle, \$2.00
Imperial pale dry,
dozen bottles, \$22.00
Anheuser-Busch, case, \$3.10
Clicquot Club, case, \$3.75
Manitou Sparkling Water, dozen large, \$3.10; dozen medium, \$2.15; dozen small, \$1.50

Apollinaris
The Queen of Table Waters.
Splits, doz., \$2.35; case, \$18.50
Med. doz., \$2.75; case, \$21.50
Above, packed 100 in case
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You can reduce your
weight easily and nat-
urally; three slices of
Bread a day helps
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nature's way. At all
Conrad stores.

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selected, much better than the
ordinary; attractive cel-
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39c

CLUSTER RAISINS—Fancy,
imported Malaga, 1-lb.
pkgs., 59c and..... 39c

PLUM PUDDING—Richardson
& Robbins. The old re-
liable 1-lb. can..... 37c
Also 2, 3 and 4 pound cans.

FIG PUDDING—Heinz
1-pound can..... 42c

MINCE MEAT—The good old-
fashioned kind; quart
jar, 50c; pint jar, 29c

STUFFED DATES—Fancy
Jumbo, with nuts, per
pound..... 39c

**FINE ASSORTED CHOCO-
LATES**—Creamy centers, hearti-
ly coated with fine dark
and milk chocolate. Ideal for gift
or home; 2½-ounce box
..... \$1.23

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A gift that is acceptable and
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Conrad's pack them attrac-
tively with the best, rare,
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Kindly leave your order early,
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The finest kinds of every food
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THE ITEMS SUGGESTED BELOW OFFER
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IVORY SOAP 6-ounce size 3 BARS 19c

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CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP 3 CANS 23c

CORN Valentine Brand, Fancy Country Gentleman 2 Med. Cans 29c

ASPARAGUS Del Monte large white tips 2 Picnic Size Tins 35c

EGGS Doz. 37c

PICKLES Mrs. Nye's Sweet or Sweet Mixed 34c

JELL 3 Pkg. Pure Fruit Flavors 22c

AUNT JEMIMA Pancake Flour 2 Pkg. 25c

HART BRAND PEAS Little Quaker Extra Sifted Medium Can 24c

BLUE BELLS PEAS Sweet Early June Medium Can 17c

PORK LOINS 19c

SPARERIBS VERY LOW PRICE, LB. 17c

BEEF TONGUES 34c

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Eggs

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U. S. No. 1 Grade Cobblers

Potatoes

Peck **25^c**

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Quality Goods

Corn—Tomatoes—Spinach

2

No. 2 Cans **25^c**

Dozen Cans, \$1.44

Peaches

Del Monte or Libby **2 Lge. Cans 45^c**

Dozen Cans, \$2.59

Sugar

Pure Cane **10 lbs. 59^c**

25-Lb. Bag, \$1.59

Candy Bars

5 Bars 14^c

GUM OR CRACKERJACK

LARD Pure 2 lbs. 25c Prize Meat

Callies Fresh 11c

Bacon Hunter's Sliced 37c

Roast Arm Chuck 20c

During the coming week the Grand Champion Steer of the annual Producers' Baby Beef Show will be sold at the following stores: 6689 Delmar, 6501 Delmar, 6219 Delmar, 5605 Delmar, 633 E. Big Bend Blvd. Beef from cattle exhibited at the show will be sold at all A. & P. Stores during Xmas week.

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Cream, in order to be whipped easily, should be at least 26 hours old and thoroughly cold.

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Granulated
Cane Sugar
10 Lbs. 59

Lima Beans California 3 Lbs. **25**Diced Beets No. 1 1/4 Can **10**Tomatoes No. 2 Size 3 Cans **24**Kraut Juice Silver Flots 3 Cans **25**

Quaker
Puffed Wheat Pkg. **10**

Fruit Salad Libby's or No. 2 Can **25**Shelled Pecans Halves Lb. **74**Raisins 2 15-oz. Pkgs. **19**Asparagus Tips No. 1 Sp. Can **22**Tomato Sardines 10 Can **10**

Silver Nut
Oleomargarine
Lb. **17**

Geisha Girl—Fancy
Crab Meat 6 1/2-oz. Can **35**

Searchlight
Matches
6 Boxes 22

Catsup Bitter's or Libby's Large Bottle **15**Macaroni or Spaghetti, Charlot. Pkg. **7**Camay Soap 3 Bars **25**Lux Large Package **22**P. & G. Soap 10 Bars **33**Oxydol 2 Pkgs. **15**

National Biscuit Company
Premium Crackers Pkg. **10**
Special Price This Week Only!

Fruits and Vegetables

Bananas 3 Lbs. **22**Grapefruit Each **10**Apples 3 Lbs. **22**

Oranges 45

Carrots 5

Spinach 3 Lbs. **25**Lettuce Each **10**

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Legs of Lamb **32**Shoulder of Lamb **25**Lamb Chops **45**Chuck Roast **22**Arm Roast **24**Bock Sausage **26**Fresh Callies **10**

"Carrie Joy" **99**

The Human Loveable Doll

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A ST. LOUIS INSTITUTION

RECIPES FOR DISHES IN WEEK'S MENU

Well Prepared and Well Cooked
Food is Digestible and
Appetizing.

Onion soup, as the French make it, is very simple and contains a lot of valuable mineral salts. To make this, slice four or five medium-sized onions and cook them in three tablespoons of melted butter in a covered saucepan for about eight minutes. Then add six cups of soup stock or six cups of hot water and two or three bouillon cubes. Cover closely and steam for 30 minutes. Boil the egg until very light and stir it into the hot soup. This will cook small threads like vermicelli. Season the soup with salt and pepper and pour it into hot soup bowls over a thick slice of very dry toast or hard toast. Serve at once with sprinkling of grated cheese.

For each person allow one slice of bread. Toast bread on one side. Butter the untoasted side and cover with the thick part of tomato slices or with a thick slice of raw tomato. Cover the tomato with a thick layer of grated cheese. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and cover with two thin slices of bread. Cook in a broiling oven for three minutes or until the cheese is melted and the bread is brown. Serve at once.

Jellied Tomato Salad.
Three cups canned tomatoes, one teaspoon salt, one small onion, sliced, two teaspoons sugar, one whole clove, one sprig of parsley, one-eighth teaspoon paprika. Boil all together very slowly for 20 minutes. Meanwhile, mix two tablespoons of gelatin in one-fourth cup of cold water for five minutes. Strain the hot tomato over the gelatin and stir until the gelatin is dissolved. Let the mixture cool. When beginning to set, stir in one cup of diced onion, two minced sweet pickles, one cup of shredded raw cabbage, one cup of cooked salad dressing.

Liver and Bacon.
If possible use lamb's liver as this is inexpensive and very tender. Calves liver is also tender and good flavor but much more expensive. Have the liver cut in about one-quarter inch thick. Wash thoroughly and then cut in thin slices. Season with salt and pepper. The bacon, remove to a hot plate and put the slices of liver in the hot bacon fat. Cover the frying pan, cook rapidly for two minutes. Then turn the slices to the other side; cover the pan again, continue cooking for three minutes longer. Remove to a hot platter and pour the fat from the pan in a bowl. Most people cook liver too long which makes it tough and indigestible.

Lemon Meringue Pie.
Cover the inverted pie plate with the pastry. Prick all over with a fork and bake in a very hot oven 12 to 15 minutes or until well browned. Remove from the oven and cook before filling.

Filling.
Two cups boiling water, one cup lemon juice, three-quarters cup sugar, grated rind of one lemon, two yolks of eggs, one tablespoon butter. Mix the cornstarch and the sugar together thoroughly. Add the yolks, grated lemon rind and enough cold water to make a smooth paste (this takes about two tablespoons). When well mixed, pour in the hot water gradually and then cook the mixture, stirring constantly, until thick, smooth and boiling. Remove from the fire and stir in the lemon juice and pour into the baked pie shell. Cover with meringue by beating the egg whites stiff and then beating in three tablespoons of sugar. Bake in a very slow oven about eight minutes or until the meringue is lightly brown.

GLACEING FRUITS AND NUTS

FOR USE ON FANCY HOLIDAY

Greatly Used for Decorating

Large Loaf Cakes and

Layer Cakes.

Glacéing nuts and fruits is one of the delightful contributions that the housewife may make to her holiday feasts.

All sorts of nut meats may be covered with this sugary glaze. Canned cherries, canned pineapple, citron, figs, canned apricots, quarts may be successfully glacéed and used for decorative purposes on cakes and homemade pastries and cookies.

To make the syrup use one cup sugar, one-third cup water, one tablespoon vinegar. Cook the sugar up to 211 degrees or to the hard stage. When the sugar is ready, remove from fire immediately.

Place cleaned nuts on a glass platter. Pour on glaze to half an inch deep. Cool and crack with a hammer. Dip fruits in glaze and place on glass platter to dry. Allow cakes to cool after baking. Then arrange candied nuts and fruits in designs suitable to the occasion. After designs are placed, place in a fine strain over the face of cakes, dip a glass in the glaze and paint the top. A few suggestions are given for placing fruits on cakes of various shapes. An assortment of glacéed fruits such as pineapple, citron, figs, cherries, etc., enables one to have a variety of colors. Blanch almonds when white is desired.

Remley-Lee

6th & Franklin Saturday

IN ORDER TO GIVE OUR CUSTOMERS BETTER

OUR SATURDAY PRICES GO IN EFFECT

PORK LOINS HALF OR WHOLE

PORK SHOULDERS Callie Style 1

MILK FED VEAL

Loins, Lb. 18

Shoulders, Lb. 14

Breasts, Lb. 13

Stew, Lb. 13

BACON Hickory Smoked 24

Frankfurters, 19

Bockwurst, 22

EGGS Strictly Candied 30

BUTTER Remley-Lee 51

HONEY Pure, Strained, 75

Pork Sausage 18

SUGAR Pure Cane Fine White Granulated 5

COFFEE Remley-Lee Special Blend, 3

FLOUR 24 Lb. Bag 89

New Nuts, 1927 Crop

Peanut Almonds, Lb. 25

Large Washed Brazil, Lb. 30

S. S. Walnuts, Lb. 25

Large Dressed Walnuts, Lb. 35

Jumbo Paper-Shell Pecans, Lb. 49

Fancy Imperial Pecans, Lb. 25

Fancy Mixed Nuts, Lb. 25

RAISINS 3 lbs 25

XMAS CANDY

Xmas Mixed Lb. 15

Peanut Brittle Lb. 15

Peanut Squares Lb. 15

Rainbow Mixed Lb. 15

Chocolates, 1-Lb. Box, 30

APRICOTS

FANCY, LB. CHOICE, Lb. STANDARD

EXTRA CHOICE FIGS

ANGELUS

Marshmallow

A Real St. Louis

Celery, Stalks

Bananas, Doz.

Potatoes, 10

Sweet Potatoes, 10

Green Onions, 10

Spinach, 2 Lb.

Oranges, 10

Dry Onions, 10

Cabbage, Lb.

String Beans

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For each person allow one large slice of bread. Toast bread on one side. Butter the uncooked side and cover with the thick part of canned tomatoes or with a thick slice of raw tomato. Cover the tomato with a thick layer of grated cheese, sprinkle with salt and pepper and cover with two thin slices of bacon. Cook in a broiling oven for about three minutes or until the cheese is melted and the bacon brown. Serve at once.

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Three cups canned tomatoes, one teaspoon salt, one small onion sliced, two teaspoons sugar, two whole cloves, one sprig of parsley, one-eighth teaspoon pepper.
Boil all together very slowly for 20 minutes. Meanwhile, break two tablespoons of gelatin in one-fourth cup of cold water for 10 minutes. Strain the hot tomatoes over the gelatin and stir until the gelatin is dissolved. Let the mixture cool. When beginning to set, stir in one cup of diced celery, two minced sweet pickles, one cup of shredded raw cabbage. Pour into small molds. Chill and serve with cooked salad dressing.

Liver and Bacon.
If possible use lamb's liver as this is inexpensive and very tender. Calves liver is also tender with good flavor but much more expensive. Have the liver cut in slices about one-quarter inch thick. Drain thoroughly and then roll in flour, seasoned with salt and pepper. Fry the bacon, remove to a hot platter and put the slices of liver in the hot bacon fat. Cover the frying pan, cook rapidly for two minutes. Then turn the slices to the other side; cover the pan again, continue cooking for three minutes longer. Remove to a hot platter and make gravy from the fat in the pan if desired. Most people cook liver too long which makes it tough and indigestible.

Lemon Meringue Pie.
Cover the inverted pie with the pastry. Prick all over with a fork and bake in a very hot oven 12 to 15 minutes or until well browned. Remove from the oven and cook before filling.

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Mix the cornstarch and the sugar together thoroughly. Add the egg yolks, grated lemon rind and enough cold water to make a smooth paste (this takes about two tablespoons). When well mixed pour in the hot water gradually and then cook the mixture, stirring constantly, until thick, smooth and boiling. Remove from the fire, stir in the lemon juice and pour into the baked pie shell. Cover with meringue by beating the two egg whites stiff and then beating in three tablespoons of sugar. Bake in a very slow oven about eight minutes or until the meringue is lightly brown.

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FOR USE ON FANCY CAKES
Greatly Used for Decorations on Large Loaf Cakes and Layer Cakes.

Glacéing nuts and fruits is one of the delightful contributions that the housewife may make to the holiday feasts.
All sorts of nut meats may be covered with this sugar coating. Canned cherries, canned pineapple, citron, figs, canned apricots, pumpkins may be successfully treated and used for decorative purposes on cakes and homemade candies and cookies.

To make the syrup use one cup sugar, one-third cup water, two tablespoons vinegar. Cook the syrup to 211 degrees or to the crack stage. When that stage is reached remove from fire immediately.

Place cleaned nuts on a greased platter. Pour on glaze to hold them together. Cool and crack apart with a hammer. Dip fruits in glaze and place on greased platter to cool. Allow cakes to cool after baking. Then arrange candied nuts and fruits in designs suitable to the various shapes of the cakes.
After designs are placed, pour glaze in a fine stream over the fruits and cake to hold all together. For the undecorated surface of cakes, dip a greased pastry brush in glaze and paint sides and top. A few suggestions are given for placing fruits on cakes of various shapes. An assortment of glacéed fruits such as pineapple, apricot, citron, figs, cherries, huckleberries, etc., are available in various colors. Blanched almonds are used when white is desired.

Remley-Leber

WHERE THE CROWDS GO!
8th & Franklin Saturday Specials

IN ORDER TO GIVE OUR CUSTOMERS BETTER SERVICE
OUR SATURDAY PRICES GO IN EFFECT FRIDAY NOON

PORK LOINS HALF OR WHOLE 17
PORK SHOULDERS Callie Style 11

MILK FED VEAL
Loins, Lb. . . . 18
Shoulders, Lb. . . 14
Breasts, Lb. . . . 13
Stew, Lb. . . . 13

BACON Hickory Smoked 24
Frankfurters, 19
Bockwurst, 22
EGGS Strictly Candler in Cartons, Doz. 30
BUTTER Remley-Leber 51
HONEY Pure, Strained, 5-Lb. Can. 75
Pork Sausage 18

SPRING LAMB
Legs, Lb. . . . 25
Shoulders, Lb. . . 20
Breasts, Lb. . . . 14
Chops, Rib or Loin 30

HAMS Hickory Smoked 21
Our Own Fresh Dressed HENS LARGE 27
HENS SMALL 22
SPRINGERS 29
DUCKS 32
GEESE 27
CAPONS 3-Lb. 30

SUGAR 5 Lbs. 29
COFFEE 3 Lbs. 1.00
FLOUR 24 Lb. Bag 89
24 Lb. Bag 98
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New Nuts, 1927 Crop
Parish Almonds, Lb. . . 25
Large Washed Brazil, Lb. . 30
S.E. Walnuts, Lb. . . . 35
Large Dressed Walnuts, Lb. . 49
Jumbo Paper-Shell Pecans, Lb. . 25
Fancy Mixed Nuts, Lb. . . 25

RAISINS 3 Lbs. 25
XMAS CANDY Lb. 15
Chocolates, 1-Lb. Box, 30

APRICOTS New 1927
Fancy Blue Ribbon Peaches, Lb. . 17
Fancy Evaporated Apples, Lb. . 18
Fancy Evaporated Pears, Lb. . 25
Silver Prunes, 30-40 Size, Lb. . 20

FIGS 2 Lbs. 25
Marshmallows 5 Lb. 1.19
Celery, Stalk 5
Bananas, dozen 20
Potatoes, 10 Lbs. . . . 15
Sweet Potatoes, 3 Lbs. . . 10
Green Onions, 3 Bunches . 10
Spinach, 2 Lbs. . . . 15
Oranges, Navel, 20 Up . 20
Dry Onions, 3 Lbs. . . . 8
Cabbage, Lb. . . . 2 1/2
String Beans, Lb. . . . 5

NOTICE!
Our New Maplewood Store, 7358 Manchester Will Be Open and Loading Fresh Meats, Fruits and Vegetables Saturday, Dec. 17. Grand Opening.

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Quality and Economy
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The rich, uniform quality of Wilson's Milk is winning new users every day. Women who want the best are asking for Wilson's by name, because they know it serves every milk and cream need with satisfaction and surprising economy. In addition the profit-sharing labels may be exchanged for a great many useful articles—silverware, glassware, kitchen utensils, towelings and other standard merchandise. Until you've used Wilson's you have no idea how good evaporated milk can be.

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MINCED MEAT TOAST

Try This Dish for Breakfast One of These Next Cold Mornings. This is a nice breakfast or lunch-dish. Not only is it a savory dish, but it is also an excellent way of using up leftover portions of steaks, roasts and other meats.

To make it, take two and one-half cups leftover meat, two tablespoons chopped onions, two tablespoons chopped green peppers, four tablespoons water, one teaspoon salt, few grains pepper, one-third cup butter, three-fourths cup water and 12 slices crisp toast.

Pass meat through food chopper. Cook onion and green pepper in four tablespoons water for five minutes. Add to meat with salt, pepper, butter and three-quarters cup water. Cook 20 minutes in top of double boiler. Butter hot toast and cover with meat mixture.

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2358 MANCHESTER

SHOULDERS 1 lb. 23
BACON 23
Steaks 19
Roast 15
VEAL 12
POTATOES 15
MALT 3
HAMS 18
Corn of Peas 35

ORANGES 20
GRAPES 5
APPLES 5
BUTTER 4
BLACK WALNUTS 6
BANANAS 3
RICE 25
Lard 24
STEAKS 2 Lbs. 35

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Home Economics

CANDYING THE PEEL OF CITRUS FRUITS

Delicious for the Afternoon
Tea Table and for
Fancy Cooking.

Candied orange peel and candied grapefruit peel are among the season's fashionable sweets. Both dainties are easily made if attention is paid to details. The sweets are served with afternoon tea and passed at company, luncheons and dinners. Here are explicit directions for making these sweets.

Candied Orange Peel.
Save up the orange peel for a few days and you will have enough to candy. Cut the rind of bright yellow oranges into long strips about one-quarter inch wide. Cover with cold water and bring slowly to boiling point. Drain off water, add fresh and repeat process three times. Measure orange rind and add equal amount of sugar and just enough boiling water to cover. Simmer until rind is clear and tender. Cook. Drain from the syrup and roll strips in granulated sugar. Spread them out to dry for several hours and roll again in granulated sugar if they are at all sticky.

Grapefruit Candy.
A grapefruit with a thick skin is the best one to secure, and when it is correctly cooked it will swell to twice its thickness. Cut the outside off part off as completely as possible so as not to waste any of the part underneath, but get it all off. Cut and peel off this white part in four sections. Drop them into considerable water, let it come to a boil and boil for 20 minutes. Drain out and do this for a second and third time. After the third cooking, cut the quarters into strips of some width, make a syrup of the juice of the fruit and two cups of sugar to the juice of one large grapefruit. Boil this mixture until it is a nice syrup and gently so that it will not become lumpy from first to last. When it is at a syrup stage, drop in the strips of grapefruit and cook them until they are somewhat transparent.

Take up and drain from the syrup and with two forks roll each piece in sugar and put on a plate to dry. This is often excellent at this point but will be better if it is allowed to stand for a day or two. After that it can be packed in sugar or merely wrapped in paper and shut up in a closed container in which it will keep well for some time.

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PIGGLY WIGGLY BUYS PRIZE BEEF

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION OF BABY
BEEF SHOW PURCHASED BY
ST. LOUIS FIRM

The Boys' and Girls' Annual Baby Beef Show was held this week at the East St. Louis Stockyards. Here each baby beef was judged, prizes awarded and the cattle later sold to the highest bidder.

The Reserve Grand Champion, an Illinois Angus, raised by Raymond Mobley of Mount Sterling, Ill., was purchased by Walter Stork at 21c for the PIGGLY WIGGLY Stores. This Baby Beef was 18½ months old and weighed 1125 pounds.

Young Mobley also won the prize for the Reserve Grand Champion Steer at the 1926 show.

This show this year was the largest ever held at the East St. Louis Stockyards. The Boys' and Girls' Club showed such remarkable animals that many more beef cattle were purchased by Walter Stork for the PIGGLY WIGGLY Stores.

Among those purchased were exhibits by the following: Wilson Crites, Cape County, Mo.; Virginia Fessler, Adams County, Ill.; Dean Parker, Shelby County, Mo.; Ella Burdett, Monroe County, Mo.; Josephine Burdett, Sangamon County, Ill.; William Bodenhamer, Johnson County, Mo.; Golden Anderson, Adams County, Ill.; Opal Smoot, Shelby County, Ill.; Eugene Mittelberg, Adams County, Ill.; Virginia Lawless, Adams County, Ill.; Ellen McGillan, Sangamon County, Ill.; Elmo Gruff, Adams County, Ill.

The Reserve Champion Baby Beef and the many others purchased by Mr. Walter Stork for the PIGGLY WIGGLY Stores have been slaughtered by and are on display at the American Packing Company's plant at 2848 Garfield Ave., St. Louis, Mo. The public is invited to visit the plant and see these wonder Baby Bees, including the Reserve Grand Champion, Sunday, December 18th, between 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.

This Reserve Grand Champion steer, purchased at the cost of 31c per pound, represents a masterpiece of beef production, the result of Raymond Mobley, in his effort to raise the finest beef in the world. The large number of these display Baby Bees that PIGGLY WIGGLY purchased will be distributed to their various stores. These will be marketed at extremely low PIGGLY WIGGLY prices, assuring their customers of the Cream of Beef Production for their Christmas dinners.

SAVORY NUT LOAF

This Dish Is a Nice Change If the Family Likes Nut Cookery. One and one-half cup pulverized nut meats, one cup evaporated milk, one teaspoon poultry seasoning, one-quarter teaspoon pepper two cups stale bread crumbs, one egg, one tablespoon minced onion, one-half cup water.

Mix nuts with bread crumbs and then add the beaten egg. Stir in the poultry seasoning, the minced onion and the pepper. Add a sprinkling of salt if desired. Combine the evaporated milk with the water and stir into the mixture. Let stand for twenty minutes and then pack into a well-greased bread pan. Bake about three-quarters of an hour. Serve with tomato sauce.

Make the tomato sauce as you would a cream or white sauce, using strained tomato juice (canned) instead of milk.

Cooking Turkey.
When roasting the turkey try, for a change, basting it with pineapple juice from the can, mixed with butter, or use grape juice from the bottle to give a different flavor. Careful basting, seasoning and dredging with flour makes a brown, crisp, juicy bird.

"MAPLEWOOD"

Open Sat. 9 P. M.

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Suckling Pigs
Wonderful-nice light weights regular family size—Please let us have your orders early so you'll get the size you wish.

SANTA CLAUS AND HIS REIN-DEERS Will Be Here
Old Santa, himself and Dancer and Prancer and the rest of his reindeer here FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16th—Noon until 9:00 p. m. Bring the kiddies—let them talk to Santa and let them see his reindeer. It's a real treat.

CHRISTMAS TREES

Wholesale and retail, 5 carloads genuine Canadian Spruce, the kind that gives your home that Christmas odor. Select your Trees today at the Arcade. Thousands to select from. DO NOT PUT IT OFF UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE!

PRUNES New Crop 23
15-20 size, largest prunes obtainable, regular value ever offered.

TOMATOES 25
Select Red Rio, No. 1 size cans. Most remarkable value ever offered.

FRUIT SALAD 46
American Lady Brand

ASPARAGUS 18
California Salad Points—24

DELICATESSEN
DEPT. SPECIALS

BACON 26
Sugar Cured, Hickory Smoked. Whole or Half.

SAUSAGE 18
Country

HAMS 20 1/2
Sugar Cured

BACK TO THE 5c LOAF
BREAD at Arcade Only—
Fri. Sat. and Sun. 5

A full 16-oz. loaf of home-made Bread, hot from our own ovens every hour in the day. We're doing this as an inducement to educate you that our Bread is the best in St. Louis. (At Arcade Only) PER LOAF.

Gilbert's Trumodel Erector Sets
No. 1 Set, regular \$1.00 special 87
No. 2 Set, regular \$2.00 special 2.47
No. 4 Set, regular \$5.00 special 3.97
No. 6 Set, regular \$10.00 special 6.97

ROLLER SKATES
For both girls, ball bearing and steel rollers. For sidewalk use. Each 1.59

Busses, Dump Trucks and Police Patrols
Well made of metal and rally painted in colors. A real toy for girls and boys. 1.00

BLACKBOARDS
IN EASEL STYLE. VERY SPECIAL. 69

DOLL CARRIAGES
Fol were on fiber body and top, rubber tired, tan, dark blue, natural or gray. CULAR \$5.00 2.95

ITEMS ABOVE AT ARCADE ONLY

Candy Dept. Specials
Don't fail to visit our Candy Dept. while doing your shopping. Take advantage of these remarkable low prices.

Chocolate Cherries 44
Per pound box.

Xmas Mixed 15
Per pound

Chocolate Chips 29
Per pound

Peanut Brittle 15
Per pound

KITCHEN MADE MILK CHOCOLATE 44
Per pound box

COCAINUT BRITTLE 19
Per pound

ITEMS ABOVE AT ARCADE ONLY

Every one guaranteed recanded—good size—to poach, boil, fry—dandy yellow yolks (in cartons). DOZEN . . . 26

PORK LOIN ROAST 1/2 or Whole. 19
Per lb. . . . 19

FRESH PIG HAMS 1/2 or Whole. 18
Per lb. . . . 18

BOCKWURST Superior and daintiest of all sausages—yet substantial (everybody loves Bockwurst) LB. 22

LIVER SAUSAGE Genuine old country style sausage is best LB. 10

POULTRY
Our Own Daily Dressed
Hens, heavy 23
Hens, light 19
Turkey 45
Springers 28
Geese 26
Ducks 32
Roosters 18

STEAKS
Cut from Corn-Fed—First Prize Winner Baby Beef—Numbers on This Wide World Will You Find Such Superior Quality.

See "Wagon" and this Wonderful "Wagon" in the Remley-Leber Arcade Market.

Sirloin, Porterhouse, Round
See to the quality. Lb.

Why We Cream Butter.

Remember that when you read, in your favorite recipe, directions about creaming the butter or other shortening, you are fulfilling one of the rules of good cookery. There is

another interesting point to remember, however. Shortening or fat is much more easily digested when it is softened so that it may be well distributed throughout a mixture.

Good Qualities in Cabbage.
It is agreed by dietitians and doctors that raw cabbage has both tonic and relishing qualities. Like the onion, also, it is a great disinfectant, and a safer one without vinegar than with it, though the vinegar itself has that same disinfecting quality.

Eat Ralston

The Whole Wheat Cereal

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Additional red-hot Specials at all 3 Quality Remley Stores
"MAPLEWOOD" Open Sat. 9 P. M.
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ORANGES 19
Best quality Florida. Thin skin and juicy. Per Dozen.

RAISINS 3 Lbs. 25
Xmas Candy Lb. 15

CHOCOLATES 1-Lb. Box, 30

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BROWNS HAVE TRADED OR SOLD NINE PLAYERS SINCE END OF SEASON

Deal Bringing Sam Gray to St. Louis for Bing Miller Completed House-Cleaning

Owner Ball Instructs Friel to Save No Money in an Attempt to Purchase Pitchers to Bolster Club — Team Also Needs Another Outfielder.

By J. Roy Stockton

Of the Post-Dispatch Sport Staff.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The Browns' trade of Edmund "Bing" Miller to the Philadelphia Athletics for pitcher Sam Gray and the major league's declaration that they were willing to terminate the major-minor league agreement if the minors so desired, were the outstanding features of the third and final day of the annual meeting of major league owners, managers, scouts and camp followers.

It was the sixth St. Louis transaction of the meeting. The Browns previously had sold Kenneth Williams to the Boston Red Sox, George Sisler to the Washington Senators, and had traded Harry Rice and Elmer Vanzeller to the Detroit Tigers for outfielder Heinie Manush and first baseman Lu Blue. The Cardinals had turned two deals, the trade of pitcher Ring and catcher Schulte to the Phillies for outfielder Johnny Mook, infielder Jim Cooney and catcher Clarence Jonnard and the purchase of catcher Frank Gibson from the Boston Braves.

Except for the dignified statement that the big leagues were ready to terminate the agreement with the minors, there was little of importance in the four-day outline of the business transacted at the joint meeting. Several committees were moved and a period was thrown in here and a semicolon there, but otherwise the business was routine to the dullist extreme.

What Would They Do? The action on the major-minor agreement was in the form of a resolution stating that "the major leagues, in reply to the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, informed the National Association that the major leagues were willing to have the major-minor agreement terminate Jan. 14, 1928, if the National Association so desired."

There was no accompanying statement of what the majors would do, if the minors did decide to break away from the protective and regulatory agreement with the big fellows. It was considered that the offer to terminate was sufficient, but the minor leagues were represented by a committee of three—J. H. Farrell, William Bramham and J. J. Weisman—and the committee asked that more time be granted in which to lay the question before all the interested parties in the National Association. The major leagues then extended the time limit to Feb. 1.

It is expected that the winter heads in the minor leagues will see the danger of a break with the majors and that before Feb. 1 an agreement will be reached, either ratifying the old agreement or suggesting minor changes in the present one, which went into effect when Commissioner Landis took office.

Browns Made Rapid Strides Toward Rebuilding, Consensus of Meeting

Sentiment among baseball men at the close of the meeting was that Bill Friel, Dan Howley and Phil Ball of the Browns had taken important strides in the business of rebuilding the St. Louis American League club.

Manush and Blue will give the Browns two hard-hitting and brilliant regulars and Sam Gray will be of great assistance to the team. Even a small part of his oldtime form. Last year he won nine games and lost six and it was an off year.

Friel and Howley wanted to do more to improve their pitching staff and every effort was made to obtain hurlers for Sisler and Williams. However, no club would turn over any pitchers and so the two veterans were sold for cash. Friel instructed Howley and Friel to spare no expense in buying pitchers.

"Buy anybody who looks like a prospect," he said, as he hurriedly left the major league meeting to look after an ice plant. "I know they're hard to find, but get your scouts out and don't worry about the cost. If you buy enough pitchers some of them are sure to come through."

Nine Men Have Departed.

Since the close of the 1927 season nine Browns have been sold or traded. They are Bennett and Wingard, who were sent to Milwaukee; Sisler, Jones and Gaston to Washington; Vanzeller and Rice to Detroit; Williams to Boston and Miller to Philadelphia.

In exchange the Browns have received outfielders McNeely and Manush, infielder Blue and pitcher Coffman and Gray.

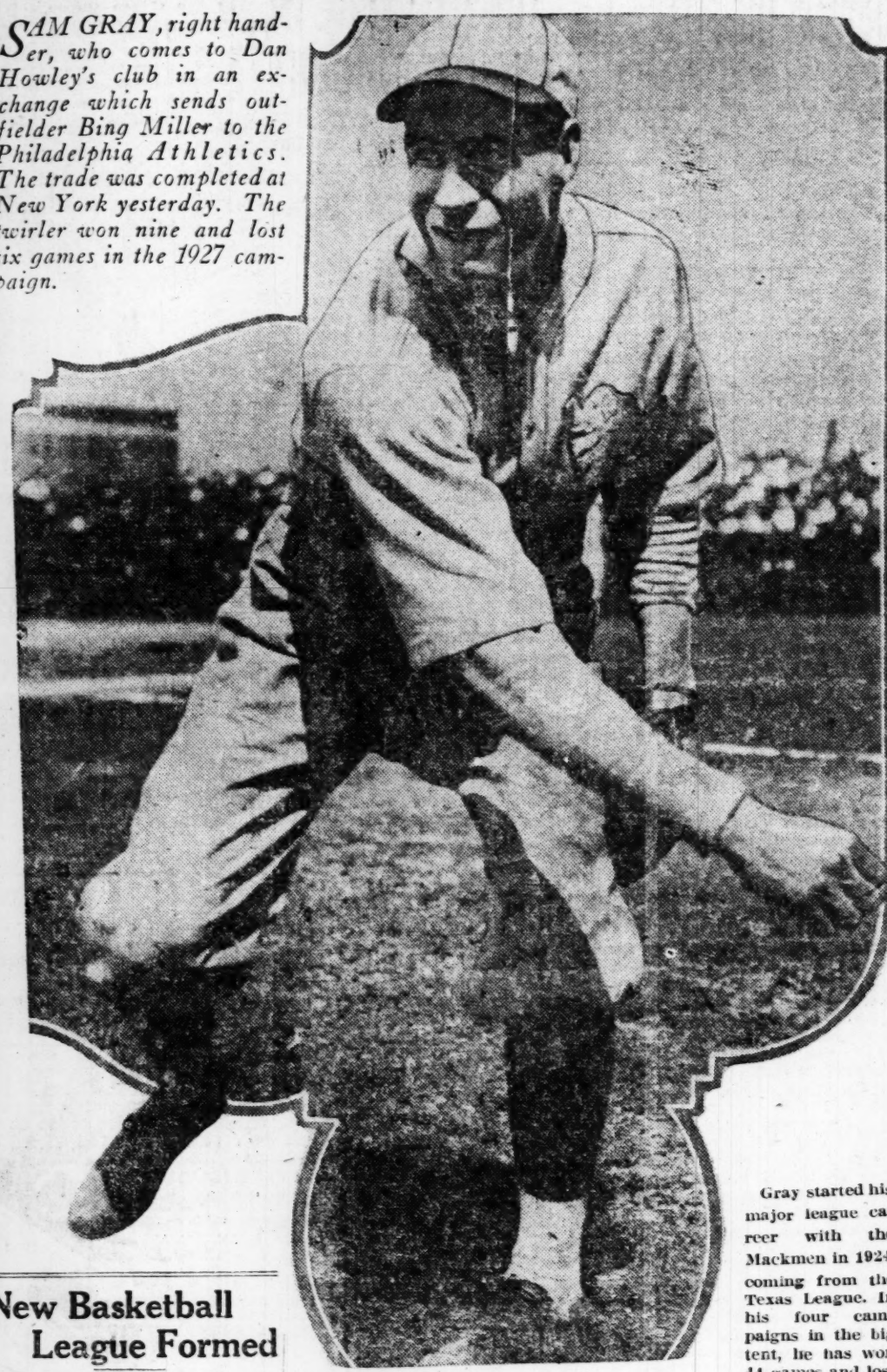
While the Browns are not going to win any pennant in 1928, nor even for several years, they at least have taken a forward step, of which there have been few in the last few years. The fans showed by staying away from the park in large numbers during the last two years that they were tired of seeing the old faces in losing ball games. Now there will be at least the interest of seeing what the youngsters and new players look like.

Manager Howley will have Lu Blue and Guy Sturdy at first base; Otis Brannon and Oscar Melillo at second; Ralph Kress and Walter Gerber at short and Frank O'Rourke and Billy Mullen at third base. That inner line of defense is nothing to write to or young and ambitious as is likely to be. If the young men in the combination develop as Howley hopes, the team may surprise everybody and climb into the first division, which would be something. In the outfield Howley will have Manush, Schulte and McNeely and he will have to buy an outfielder or two for duty as reserves, unless he wants a few young pitchers to earn their salt by alternating in the garden.

The pitching staff will include

Pitcher Obtained by Browns

SAM GRAY, right hander, who comes to Dan Howley's club in an exchange which sends outfielder Bing Miller to the Philadelphia Athletics. The trade was completed at New York yesterday. The twirler won nine and lost six games in the 1927 campaign.



Gray started his major league career in the Mackmen in 1924, coming from the Texas League. In his four campaigns in the big tent, he has won 44 games and lost 32. He is 28 years of age.

Player Trades Made at Major League Meeting

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Pirates released Yde and Spencer to Indianapolis.

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New Basketball League Formed

Nine Neighborhood House Organizations Start Play in Two Divisions.

The Fellowship Basketball League was formed and a schedule of games started this week by nine neighborhood house organizations. Competition has been divided into two groups, senior and junior, and games will be played on Monday and Tuesday evenings each week. Greely Gymnasium, Twenty-third and St. Louis avenue.

Following are the teams entered and the captains: Greyhound Athletic Club, Elmer Medlin; Greely Seniors, Mr. McAdoo; DeVance Club, George Wyman; Kingdom House Juniors, R. Robinson; Troop No. 3 Holy Cross, J. P. Simons and Mr. Anderson; Kingdom House Seniors, Frank E. Dyer; Purple Martins, Ed Cherbonnier and Jean De Staebler; Holy Cross A. C. V. H. Cherbonnier; Greely Juniors, Mr. McAdoo.

Following are results of games played this week: Greely Seniors 43, Greyhound A. C. 22; Purple Martins 24, Greely Juniors 4; Kingdom House 14, DeVance 18; Holy Cross 22, Kingdom House 9.

SETTER DOG CAPTURES ALL-AGE STAKE OF SOUTHERN TRIALS

Special to the Post-Dispatch. UNION SPRINGS, Ala., Dec. 16.—The setter dog Pennant, owned by A. G. C. Sage of New York, won the all-age stake of the Southern Bird Dog trials which was decided here in a rain yesterday. Second place was won by The Realization, owned by Ross Thompson of Highland, Mich., handled by J. J. M. Aven, of Hickory Valley, Tenn. While third was divided between Ireland's Greemist, owned by H. G. Ireland of Birmingham, Ala., and Miss May Air owned by J. S. Groves Jr., of Riverton, N. J. The stake brought out a field of 22 starters.

YANKEES HAVE BOUGHT REESE AND LARRY OF OAKLAND CLUB, REPORT

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Reports that Lou Lavy and Jimmy Reese, crack infield pair of the Oakland club of the Pacific Coast League, have been sold "under cover" to the New York Yankees, for future delivery, bobbed up again last night among baseball men.

This came on the heels of rumors that the Oakland club had turned down an offer of \$100,000 for Reese alone, along with a player or two, from the Detroit Tigers.

J. H. FARISH CAPTURES FIRST-ROUND MATCH IN SQUASH TOURNAMENT

Play is under way in the University club's handicap squash tennis tournament, with only one match remaining to be played in the first round. The tournament is being conducted at the University Club.

John H. Farish, club champion, was extended to three sets to defeat W. T. Terry in his first round match. Terry won the first set, 10-15, but the club champion took the next two sets, 15-10, 15-10.

De Palma in Race.

By the Associated Press. LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 16.—Ralph De Palma, famous automobile racing driver, today was listed as one of the starters in the A. A. A. sanctioned Ascot Speedway race here next Sunday. De Palma will drive against many speed lums, including Leon Duray and Cliff Berger in front-drive cars. George Souders and Fred Frame also are on the entry list.

Hoppe Wins and Goes Into Lead

Former Balkline King Defeats Kieckhefer, 50-44, in 3-Cushion Match.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Willie Hoppe went into undisputed possession of first place in the American Three-Cushion Billiard League by defeating Augie Kieckhefer at Dwyer's Broadway academy last night. In the other league game, Alfred de Oro became more firmly encoined in last place by receiving a setback at the hands of Harry Wakefield at Wilbur's Jamaica academy.

83 GRID PLAYERS ON 5 PRINCIPAL TEAMS ARE GIVEN AWARDS

Eighty-three players on the five football teams at Principia Academy during the past season were given school letters and certificates at an athletic parade yesterday. The first team squad has 16 letter men. Under the direction of Coach Al Marquard the team won four of its six games. Awards were made to the following players and managers:

First team—Barnhoff, J. Dinger, Frank, Hargrave, Kuhn, McPherson, McLean, Mendenhall, Muller, W. Power, Rich, Smith, Scott, Towe, Weinberger, Leach, H. R. Smith, Mayhew, Dickman, Edlin, Gunnison, Johnson, Lettingwell, Hask, Roeder, Ricks, Butler, Graham, Cline, Perry, L. Dinger, Brooks.

Second team—Anderson, C. K. King, Farnham, H. Jeffers, Letts, Mann, Neal, Pedersen, R. Power, R. Woodward, Sorensen, Martin, W. Patterson, Wainwright, White, E. Woodward, Cooper, Chapman, Stollie, Richman, Hendricks, Kline, Managers—G. Powers, Hunt, James, Stollie, Richman, Hendricks, Kline, Edlin, Newton, Longshore, Hendricks, Taylor, Richardson, Runnels.

Other first-round results: Chet Gordon defeated Elliott Whitbread, 15-10, 15-8. L. F. Denning defeated J. B. Daily, 15-8, 15-14. Jim Franciscus defeated Chatham Newhard, 15-4, 15-16.

BILLIKENS WIN EASILY FROM ROLLA, 43-18

St. Louis U. Basketball Quintet Averages Defeat of Year Ago at Hands of School of Mines.

ROLLA, Mo., Dec. 16.—St. Louis University's young varsity quintet has greatly increased confidence in its ability today, as a result of its victory over the Missouri School of Mines here last night, 43 to 18. It was the second straight triumph for the St. Louis team.

The victory was especially sweet, due to the fact that last year the Rolla Miners were winners over the Blue and White. The only thing that detracted from the impressive victory last night was that Neidermeyer, an important cog in the Rolla machine, was out through ineptibility and Ray, another Rolla star, will not enter the game until after the holidays.

Strong Leads Scored. "Ham" Strong and Barney Oldfield, visiting for ards, were the leading scorers. Strong accounting for 15 points and Oldfield for 12. Tom Green of the home team scored 10. The Billikens allowed the Miners to run up a brief lead of 7 to 6, and then the St. Louis boys rapidly came to the front and led by 22 points at the intermission. During the last half the visitors centered their efforts only on running up a high score and their efforts were entirely successful.

From Washington to Mexico In twenty-seven hours, By some may be considered slow For that great ease of ours. But Slim encountered rain and fog.

And taken altogether, It was a clever little jog Considering the weather.

Why Not? We suggest that a new Cabinet office be created and headed by Col. Lindbergh with the title of Secretary of Peace.

France, England and America said it with confetti. Mexico said it with flowers. Mexico has

Stribling Defeats Kirby. By the Associated Press. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 16.—W. L. (Young) Stribling of Georgia won the decision over Tom Kirby of Boston in a 10-round bout at the Armory A. C. last night.

ANNOUNCING a new and finer cigarette that actually considers your throat

NOW, you can procure in St. Louis and vicinity the new Listerine Cigarettes, made by the makers of Listerine. They are a selected blend of twenty-nine of the finest cigarette tobaccos to which have been added the aromatic essences of Listerine, so good for the throat.

The result is a cigarette that will delight you by the mild and inviting flavor of its tobacco and which, furthermore, as you smoke, will cool and actually soothe the delicate membranes of mouth and throat.

To the judge of good tobaccos, to the men and women who tire of a steady diet of a certain cigarette, and to those whose throats are delicate, Listerine Cigarettes will prove both a solace and a benefit.

Buy a package today. Smoke one after another. Compare their flavor with that of any cigarette you have ever smoked. Then note how cool and refreshed your mouth and throat feel after smoking.

LAMBERT PHARMACAL CO. ST. LOUIS, MO.

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"Consider your throat"

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Hall Provides Feature. It looks as though the Browns were caught short and forced to sell on a falling market. Another example of the uncertainties of baseball.

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Reisel Suffers Let Down. Hall flashed his best form in the afternoon, coming on to try he was missing in the first blocks. Allen measured carefully and counted consistently. He deliberated upon almost every shot and used the system to fine scoring advantage. Reisel, on the other hand, was offstroke and could not assemble the spheres anywhere near his way he did in the third block when he swamped Hall 60 to 30 and gained the commanding advantage.

Without detracting the slightest tota from the splendor of Hall's play in justice to the champion it must be said that he was evidently suffering a let down a reaction from his marvelous stroking of the night before when he swept the tables.

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OPEN NITES TILL 9 O'CLOCK

Make This a Furniture Christmas

Union's Gift Furniture Sale Provides Real Economies



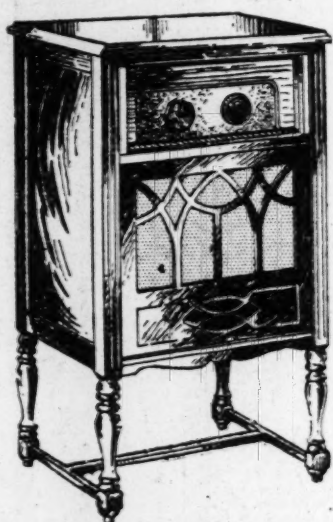
Cabinet Smoker
With built-in copper-lined humidor. Fine hardwoods, walnut finished. At... **\$19.75**
\$2 Cash



Cabinet Smoker
Of hardwoods, finished in walnut. Copper-lined humidor in cabinet. At... **\$7.85**
\$1 Cash



Kitchen Cabinet
Made of solid oak. With porcelain table top. Plenty of shelves and drawers. At... **\$29.75**
\$2 Cash



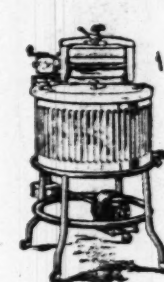
Atwater Kent
CONSOLE MODEL

Electrified!

\$124

A beautiful cabinet with built-in speaker, equipped with Atwater Kent model 35 and the famous PHILCO A and B power unit for electric light socket operation. Six Cunningham tubes, too. Everything complete!

Easy Terms!



Electric Washer
For Christmas—you can buy this new improved Laundry Queen Washer for as little as **\$1.50** week



Console Table
A marble-top Table with beautifully wrought stand and the base is made of metal. **\$14.95**
\$1 Cash!



End Table
Nicely made of strong hardwoods, lacquered in red, green and black with decorated top. **\$1.95**
Also in mahogany **\$1.95**
Bargain Basement



Walnut Vanity
Several pretty designs in genuine walnut veneer over hardwood construction. At... **\$39.75**
\$3 Cash



China Cabinet
Walnut veneers over fine cabinet woods in several pretty designs. Grill fronts. At... **\$19.75**
\$1 Cash



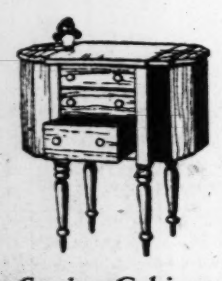
Da-Bed Complete
All steel with cane panel, finished in walnut. With cretonne covered ed cotton pad. At... **\$16.95**
\$1 Cash



Cabinet Smoker
Artistically shaped and nicely finished. With copper-lined humidor. At... **\$16.75**
\$1 Cash



Coxwell Chair
Nicely made with strong hardwood frame and covered with colorful velour or tapestry. At... **\$29.75**
\$2 Cash



Sewing Cabinet
A beautiful Colonial design of hardwoods finished in pretty mahogany. An extraordinary value. At... **\$7.95**
\$1 Cash



Pull-Up Chair
A lovely odd Chair for the living room. Nicely made and finished, with colorful velour upholstery. At... **\$16.75**
\$1 Cash!



Cedar Chest
A large size, well-made Cedar Chest of genuine walnut with lining of genuine Tennessee cedar. At... **\$17.85**
\$1 Cash!



Sewing Cabinet
Mahogany-finished hardwoods. Well made and nicely finished. At... **\$4.98**
\$1 Cash!



Magazine Rack
A splendid Rack, lacquered in beautiful colors with floral decorations on each side. At... **\$1.95**
Basement



Large Dresser
Well made of strong hardwoods and finished in walnut. Large & roomy. At... **\$22.50**
\$1 Cash!



Magazine Rack
Made of wood and reed and finished in frosted gray tinged with gold. Very special. At... **\$1.00**
Basement!

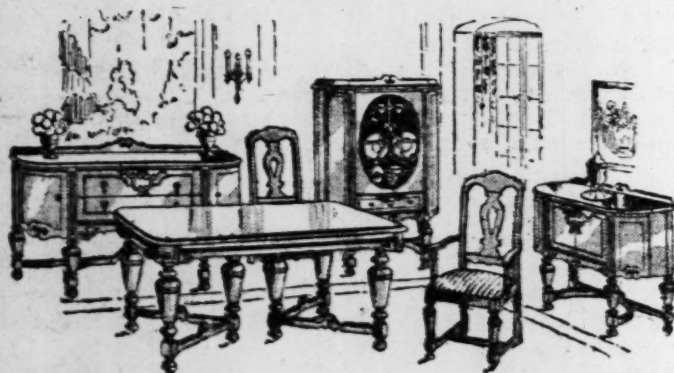


4-Piece Bedroom Suite

A Suite of exquisite design... bow-end bed, vanity, dresser and chest of drawers. Study the detail in this lovely Suite... note the heavy over lay panels... the beautiful carving on the rich graining of the walnut. Constructed of fine cabinet woods. Choice cabinet woods.

\$185

Pay Only \$15 Cash!



10-Pc. Walnut Dining Suite

A new arrival at Union... the last word in dining-room furniture. Large buffet, beautiful china cabinet with grill front, server of exquisite design, large extension table, host chair and five side chairs. Just think, TEN large full-size pieces, each of genuine walnut veneer over fine cabinet woods. An extraordinary offering.

\$185

Pay Only \$15 Cash



Orthophonic and Radiola Combination Electrified

\$334

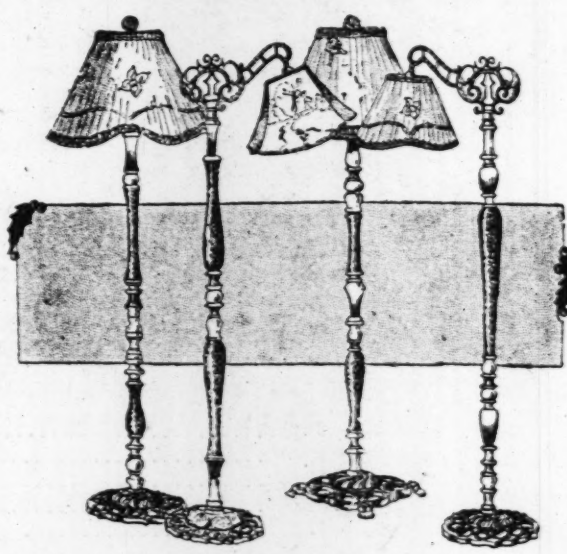
The last word in fine musical instruments, combining the Orthophonic Victrola and the new model Radiola 16, a 6-tube, single-dial radio. Complete and electrically operated—\$334!



Folding Card Tables

\$1.49

Strong folding Tables of excellent construction. Well-braced legs. Green leatherette table top. Bargain Basement



Sale of Lamps

\$7.95

Beautiful Lamps with artistic bronzed metal bases with polychrome stands in many beautiful designs... both bridge and junior styles... complete with richly colored and decorated shades.

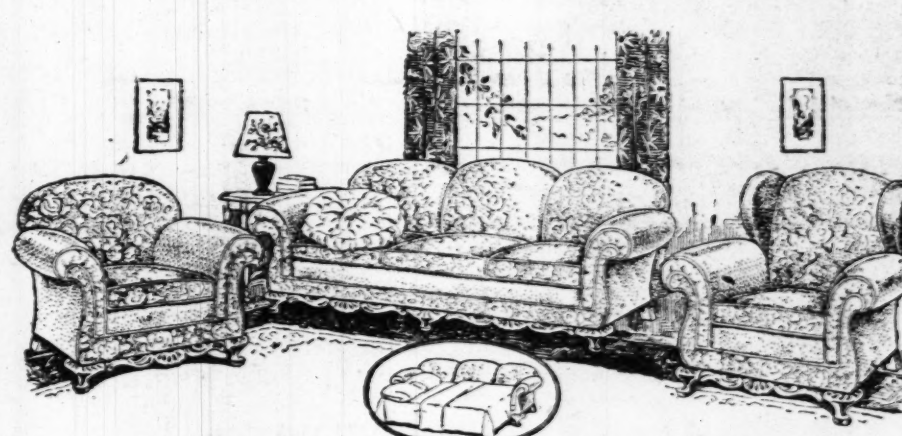
Only \$1.00 Cash!

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HOUSE FURNISHING CO.

PROTECTIVE INSURANCE FOR DEFERRED PAYMENTS

1120-22-24-26-28-30 OLIVE STREET

OPEN NITES TILL 9 O'CLOCK

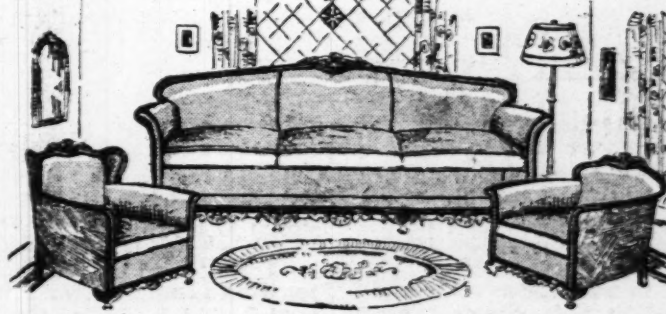


3-Piece Bed-Davenport Suite

A splendid Suite at a very low special price! Three massive overstuffed pieces with excellent spring construction and covered with high grade figured velour. The davenport is easily converted into a full size coil spring bed, and when closed the bedding is concealed. Christmas delivery if desired for a gift.

\$125

Pay Only \$10 Cash.



3-Pc. Bed-Davenport Suite

A beautiful Suite... of the finest materials... of the very best construction... with resilient coil spring backs, sides and cushions. The frame is handsomely carved and the upholstery is a very high-grade taupe mohair with reversible cushions of silk damask. The davenport is convertible into a full size coil spring bed, with bedding space.

\$195

Pay Only \$15 Cash

THE NEW CONSOLETTE
Orthophonic VICTROLA

\$95

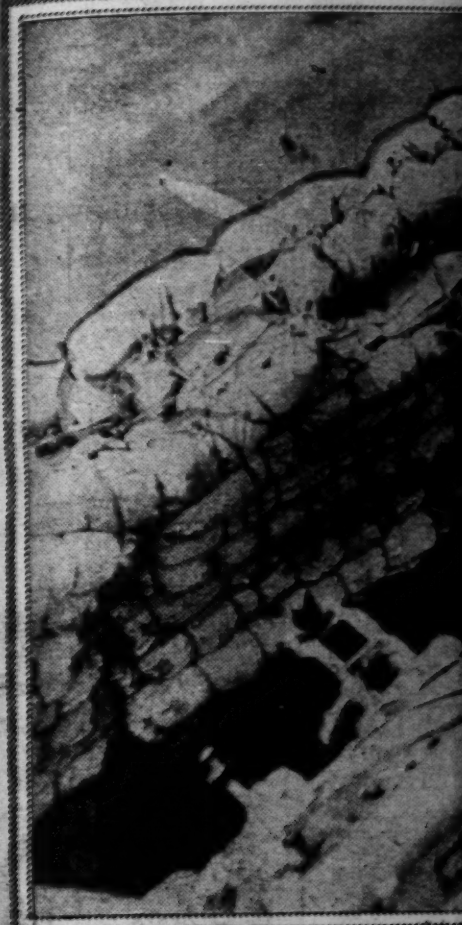
Here is an instrument that can be depended on to give the very best in reproduced music, day in and day out, year in and year out. This new model in a beautiful walnut consolette cabinet.



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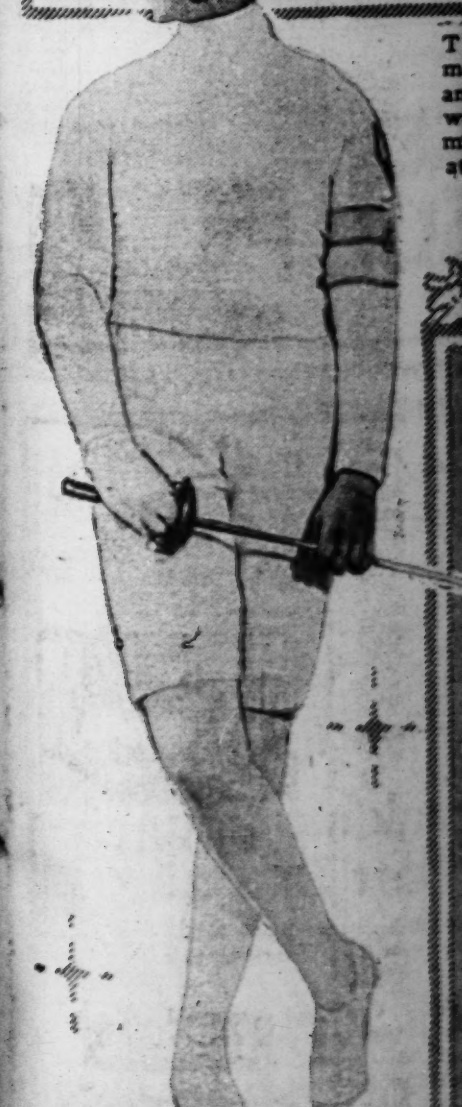
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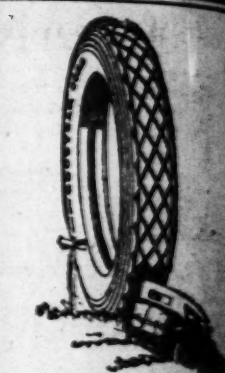


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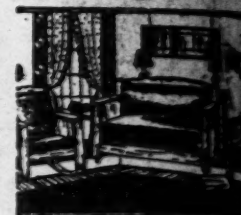
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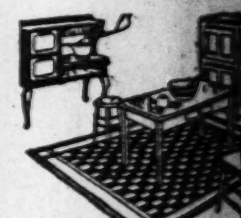


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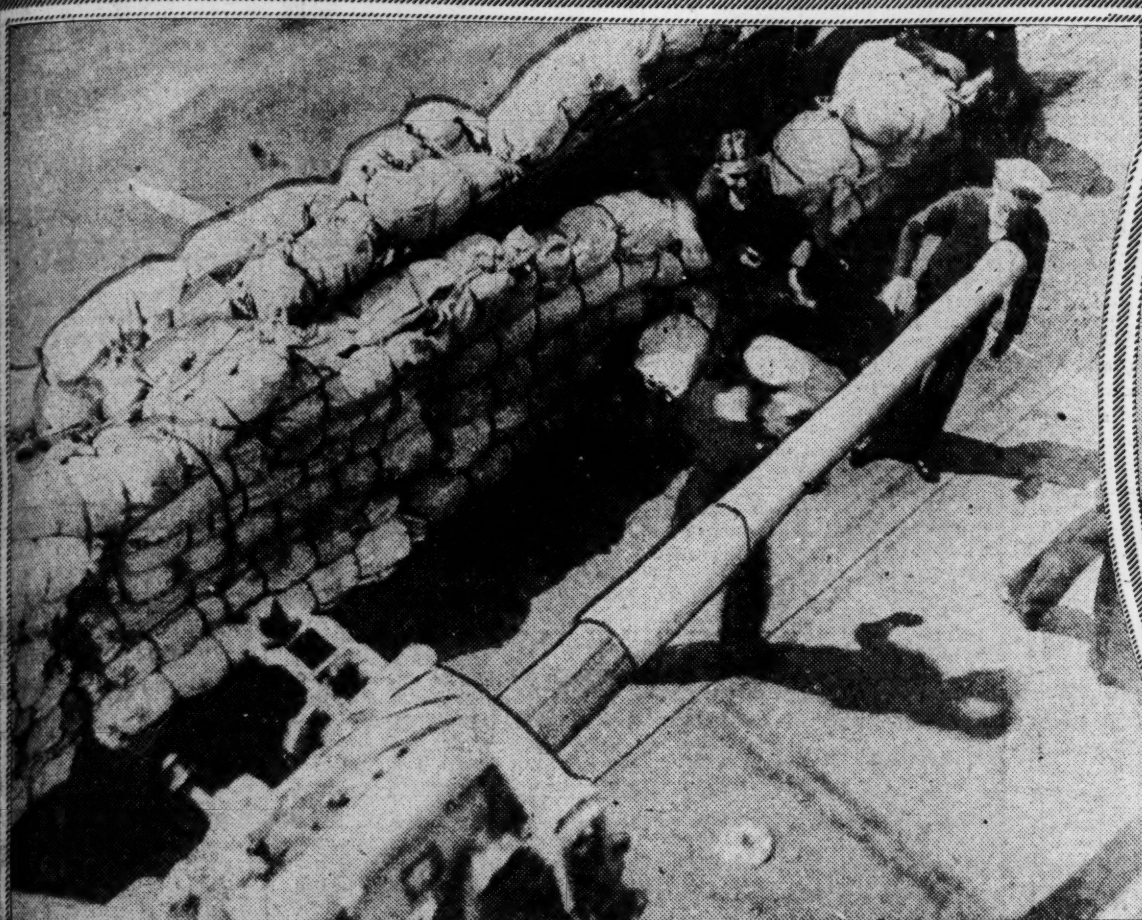
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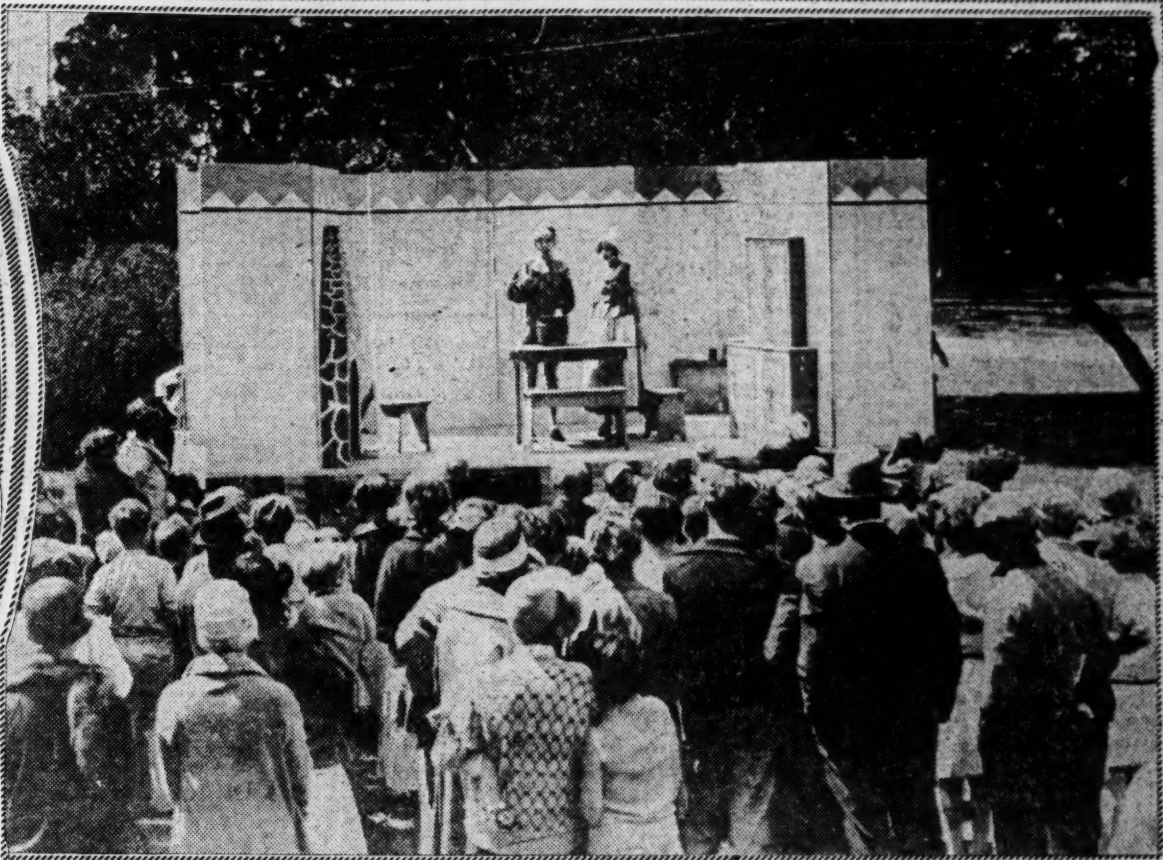


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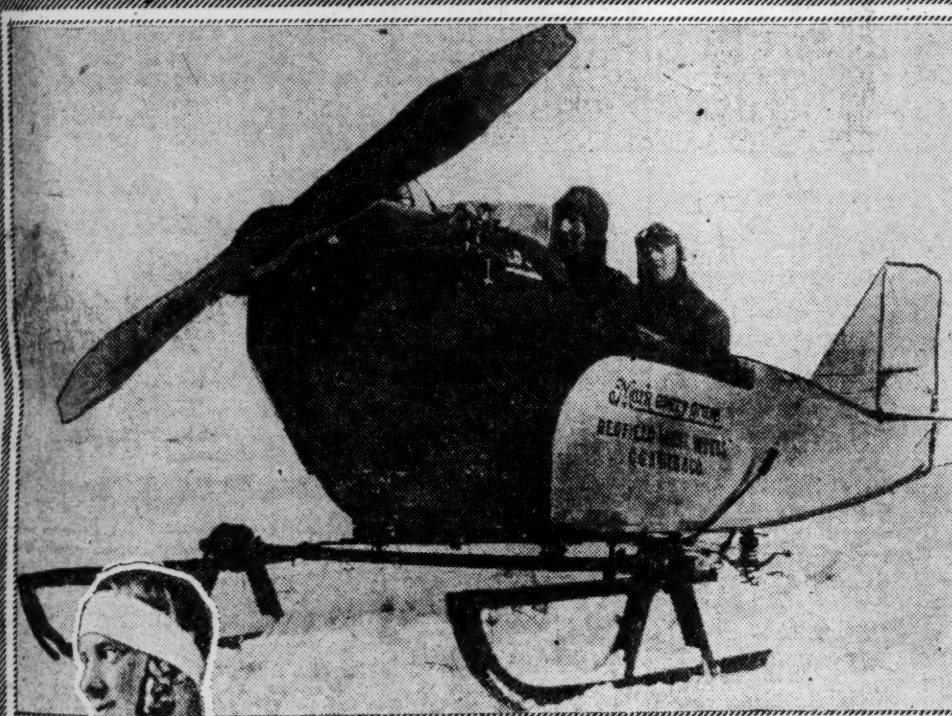
Uldine Utley, the girl evangelist, takes time to play at the home of Dr. John Roach Straton at Greenwood Lake, N. J.

A CHILDREN'S THEATER ON WHEELS



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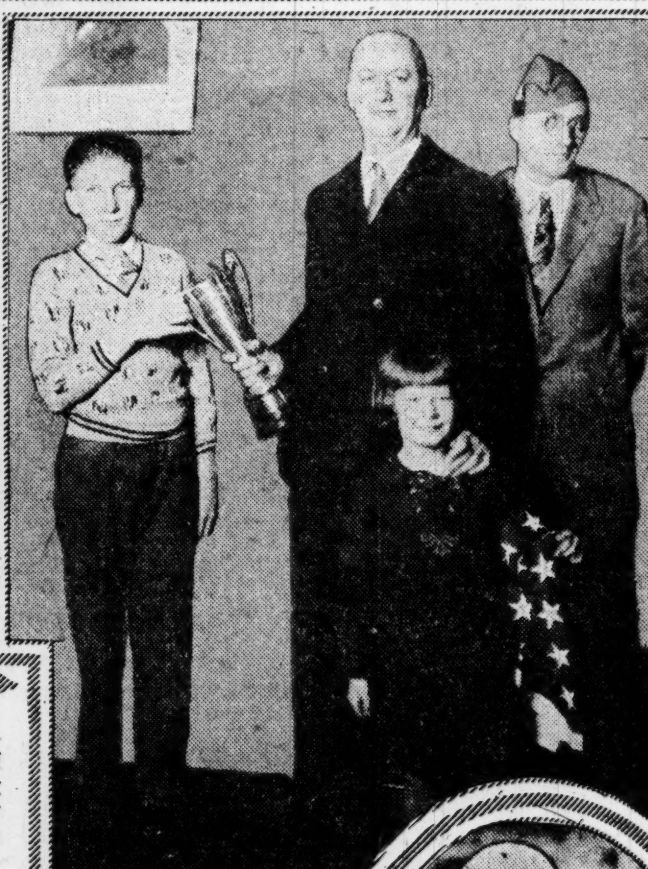
FLYING OVER THE SNOW



This airplane, mounted on a sled and deprived of its wings, travels at a mile-a-minute clip at Sioux City, Ia.

Louis C. Pahl of 3130 Brannon av. and Phillis Post of 5678 Cabanne av. receiving first and second prize for the best back yard playgrounds from Mayor Miller.

PRIZE WINNERS

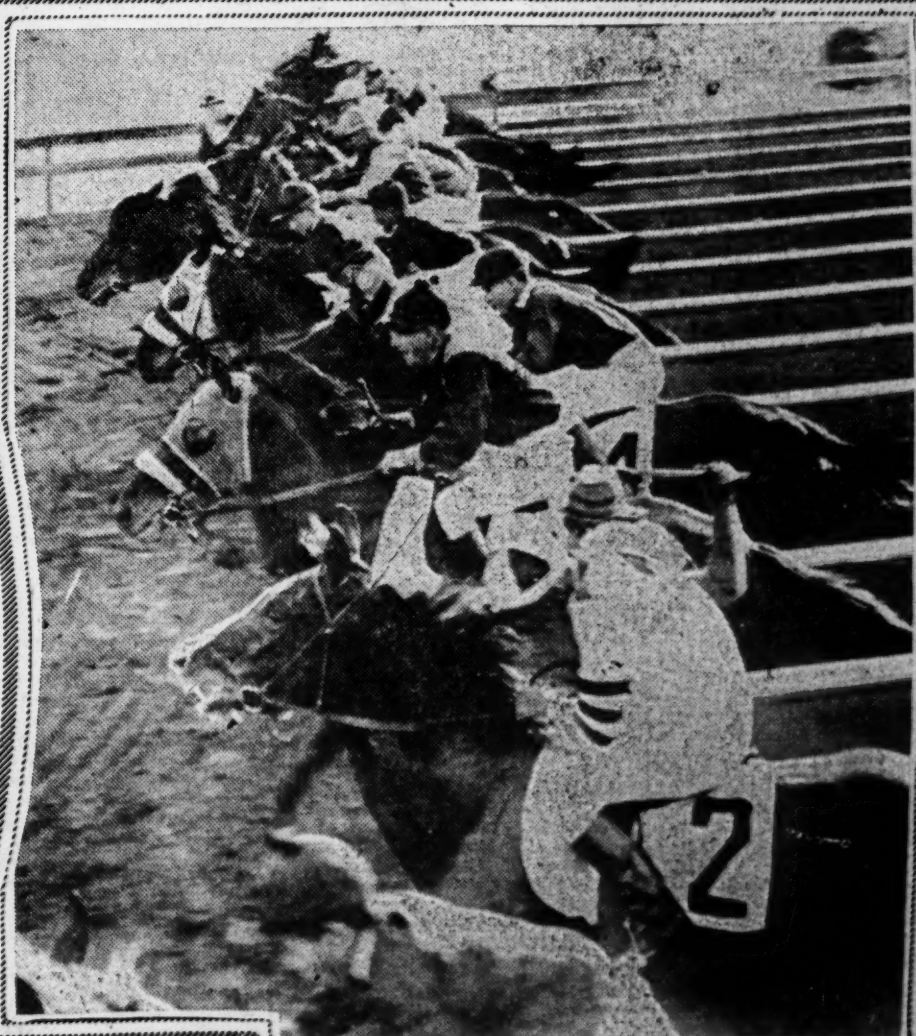


IN CONFERENCE



The Soviet leader, Buklaim, discussing affairs of State with Madame Krupakaya, widow of Lenin, at Moscow.

A PERFECT START



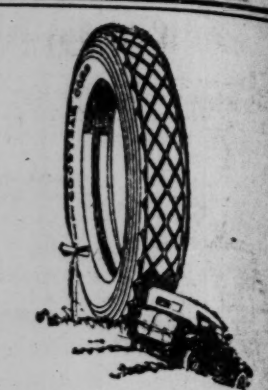
A chute, with a stall for each horse, which is being used at the Tijuana racetrack. It is said to avoid long delays at the post and to insure the horses getting away in a line. It was invented by Marshall Cassidy, son of the well-known starter.

BROTHERS UNDER THE SKIN



A police dog, a 10-foot Missouri blacksnake and a Mexican lizard that get along well together at the California Snake Farm at Long Beach.

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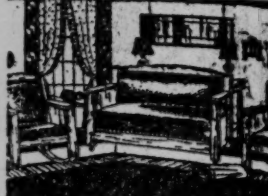
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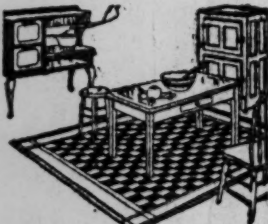
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The Christmas Corner

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS MAILING EARLY.

THROUGHOUT the land great stress is being put upon the expeditious handling of Christmas mail, but the real efficiency of this end of the postal service is largely dependent upon individual co-operation. If every personal mailer would help Uncle Sam in this tremendous task, how easily it could be accomplished, and it would be just an act of true patriotism.

On Dec. 23 last year more than 12,000,000 pieces of first class mail were deposited in the letter boxes and drops of the New York Post-office. So it is not surprising that only five out of the 150 cards reached their destination by Christmas day.

It is quite as easy to mail cards a few days sooner. They are intended as Christmas messages to friends, so why not get them to their destination by Christmas day—just a little consideration act of bringing Christmas joy on time.

Christmas cards and, of course, gifts also, addressed to points within one day's travel should be mailed by Dec. 20, and the Postmaster says all cards (also parcels) for local delivery should be mailed no later than Dec. 21. For points within two days' travel, get your mail in by Dec. 18, and for three days' travel mail it by Dec. 16. Dec. 14 is the latest possible date set for mail to most distant points.

Do not hold up transmission of mail by careless mailing. Be sure and put a 2-cent stamp on sealed envelopes. If you send cards in unsealed envelopes do not write messages on them and put on 1½ cent postage.

A special request is made by the Postoffice Department that envelopes should be at least two and

SOME THINGS THAT MEN LIKE.

ATTEMPTING to please the genus homo at Christmas is no small matter. The diplomatic mule always appears pleased, but a woman never knows, unless she is extremely canny.

So why not divide the male members of your shopping list into groups, such as the man-about-town, the sportsman, the mechanical-minded and the home type. Thus you are more apt to catch a gift that will be suitable and accepted with genuine pleasure.

First, let's consider the man-about-town, who takes great pride in his trappings as it were. When it comes to vanity it is prevalent among the strong sex, too. And what pride men take in the possession of a few smart walking sticks!

Here is an evening stick for the ultra-conservative man. This is of ebony, with a silver top, and may be purchased in light weight for \$4.50, or \$12.50 for a heavier grade. The sports type, or day cane, is of malacca, with crook handle covered with braided tan and brown leather. One of bamboo, has a leather-covered handle. Plain malacca, bamboo and whang-see sticks cost from \$5 up. Gift sets of matching umbrella and stick, silver banded, are from \$35 to \$85. However, the handles may be of gold, silver, malacca, or buffalo, ramshorn, ebony and snakewood.

If a man likes novelties in sticks, there is the ebony evening stick with square ivory top; the French pocket folding cane, of snakewood, pimento or malacca, at from \$18.50 to \$35; the silver-headed stick for holding dice, and heads or crook handles that may be lighted electrically.

The evening wallet is indispensable. A very nice one is shown at one shop, fashioned of black suede with silver edge and monogram place, in two sizes, to fit the breast and hip pockets, priced at \$11.50 and \$13.50.

Of course, for the small gift, there is the sterling silver clip, with space for initials, at \$2; set

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

Joy of the Sun.
I AM drenched with the joy of the sun,
I am drenched with its golden wine,
All the beauty and bounty of Earth,
All the rapture of living are mine!
For I have been out on the hills
Where the footprints of man are few,
And I have seen sky and fields
With a vision grown glad and true.
There the gold of the sun shone down
And it wrapped in its shimmering veil
All the world with a brightness and bliss,
With a promise that could not fail!
Of the Infinite Fountain of life,
Of the Source of all strength it told,
And the message of world beyond world
Was borne down on its rays of gold.
I am drenched, I am drenched with the sun,
I am drenched with its life; I desire
No guerdon of gladness or gold
Save the sun and its life-giving fire!
You will improve the flavor of shrillings if you pour boiling water over them and drain it off immediately. Do this shortly before serving them.

DON'T FORGET

Put the name and address inside of parcel, as well as outside, before mailing your Christmas gifts—there is always the possibility of the wrapper becoming mutilated during transit.

There is a postal law demanding that Christmas seals and charity stamps be affixed on the back of all envelopes addressed to foreign countries—if pasted on the address side they cannot be sent out in the foreign mails.

The gift you are selecting is not for yourself—consider the taste and desires of the prospective recipient.

The admonition to do your Christmas shopping early is an advantage to the merchants but also to the shoppers as it means better service and better opportunities.

That salespeople have feelings and nerves as well as yourself—treat them courteously.

To remove the price tags before packing your gifts—it may avoid embarrassing situations.

three-quarters by four inches, and a larger size is preferable. Heeding these admonitions is a small matter to the individual, but it will mean there is every chance that Christmas greetings will reach their destination by Christmas day. Now that we understand it, say each of us will gladly show this courtesy and consideration to the postoffice employees and our friends—just a matter of that spirit of good will.

CHIC CHERIE

It Never Should Be Done



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A chiffon velvet negligee of orchid trimmed with bands of deeper violet, a rolled shawl collar and a flare on one side... and a stealthy step outside the door! Shall she scream or faint? Or telephone? No, Cherie is a young woman of firm character. She will crawl quietly under the bed and stay there until everyone comes home again.

get the greatest surprise of your life. Sooner or later you'll see those chickens. You'll come over for a look around to see what the chances are for catching one. You'll alight on that telephone pole, and your eyes will be so full of chicken that you will not see that trap at all. If I catch you today I shall be surprised. But whether today or tomorrow, I'm going to get you. I just feel it in my bones. If this trap doesn't work I'll set one or two over in the Green Forest. We've got to get rid of you, and that is all there is to it!"

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So Farmer Brown's Boy set about his plan of trapping Terror the Goshawk. He recalled that several times he had seen Terror sitting on top of a certain telephone pole, where he was safely beyond danger from a terrible gun, but from which point he could watch the chicken yard. "That's the place," said Farmer Brown's Boy. "I'll set a trap right on top of that pole."

So Farmer Brown's Boy got out one of the traps with which he used to catch muskrat. He climbed to the top of the telephone pole and there he sat and fastened the trap. Then he turned two or three chickens loose in his chicken-yard, for he had been keeping them shut out of late. He himself, with his terrible gun close at hand, sat down just within the barn door, where he could watch the chicken yard. "That's the place," said Farmer Brown's Boy. "I'll set a trap right on top of that pole."

Now all this time that Mr. and Mrs. Grouse and other little people of the Green Forest were living in such fear of Terror the Goshawk, Farmer Brown's Boy, some of whose chickens Terror had caught, was watching for a chance to give Terror a lesson he would not soon forget. He kept his gun handy.

"If he belonged here it would be different," said Farmer Brown's Boy, "but he doesn't belong here. If food is scarce up where he does belong I'm sorry, but that isn't my reason why I should lose my chickens or why the little people of the Green Forest should live in such fear all the time. He probably could get a living up where he belongs if he tried, but it is easier for him to get a living down here; so he has come down. If I could just sting him a few times with shot, he might learn to go away and stay."

But Farmer Brown's Boy got no chance to "sting" Terror. Terror was too smart for that. He knows a terrible gun when he sees one. He knows just how far it will shoot. And, though he is bold, Terror is smart enough not to run too great a risk. So it was in vain that Farmer Brown's Boy tried to get near enough to Terror to sting him with shot from that terrible gun. He had put in small shot, for he didn't want to kill Terror. For Farmer Brown's Boy dislikes to kill anything.

It was in vain that Farmer Brown's Boy watched and waited to teach Terror the Goshawk a lesson. Finally he changed his plans. "That fellow is too smart for me," said Farmer Brown's Boy. "He is too smart for me to get a shot at. I've got to outwit him some other way. I'll trap him. That's what I'll do. I'll set some traps for him. If I can once catch him it will put an end to a lot of trouble."

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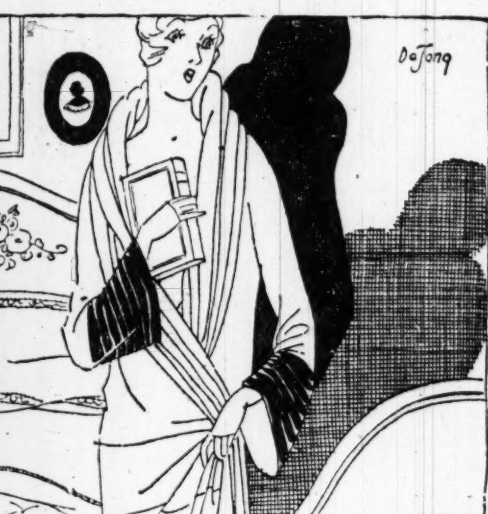
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But Farmer Brown's Boy got no chance to sting Terror.

So Farmer Brown's Boy set about his plan of trapping Terror the Goshawk. He recalled that several times he had seen Terror sitting on top of a certain telephone pole, where he was safely beyond danger from a terrible gun, but from which point he could watch the chicken yard. "That's the place," said Farmer Brown's Boy. "I'll set a trap right on top of that pole."

So Farmer Brown's Boy got out one of the traps with which he used to catch muskrat. He climbed to the top of the telephone pole and there he sat and fastened the trap. Then he turned two or three chickens loose in his chicken-yard, for he had been keeping them shut out of late. He himself, with his terrible gun close at hand, sat down just within the barn door, where he could watch the chicken yard. "That's the place," said Farmer Brown's Boy. "I'll set a trap right on top of that pole."

Now all this time that Mr. and Mrs. Grouse and other little people of the Green Forest were living in such fear of Terror the Goshawk, Farmer Brown's Boy, some of whose chickens Terror had caught, was watching for a chance to give Terror a lesson he would not soon forget. He kept his gun handy.

"If he belonged here it would be different," said Farmer Brown's Boy, "but he doesn't belong here. If food is scarce up where he does belong I'm sorry, but that isn't my reason why I should lose my chickens or why the little people of the Green Forest should live in such fear all the time. He probably could get a living up where he belongs if he tried, but it is easier for him to get a living down here; so he has come down. If I could just sting him a few times with shot, he might learn to go away and stay."

But Farmer Brown's Boy got no chance to "sting" Terror. Terror was too smart for that. He knows a terrible gun when he sees one. He knows just how far it will shoot. And, though he is bold, Terror is smart enough not to run too great a risk. So it was in vain that Farmer Brown's Boy tried to get near enough to Terror to sting him with shot from that terrible gun. He had put in small shot, for he didn't want to kill Terror. For Farmer Brown's Boy dislikes to kill anything.

It was in vain that Farmer Brown's Boy watched and waited to teach Terror the Goshawk a lesson. Finally he changed his plans. "That fellow is too smart for me," said Farmer Brown's Boy. "He is too smart for me to get a shot at. I've got to outwit him some other way. I'll trap him. That's what I'll do. I'll set some traps for him. If I can once catch him it will put an end to a lot of trouble."

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WINTER-SEVEN-YEAR HEAD-ACHE.—Insurance against loss of health is held by many persons, and is possible for you depending on your present condition. Consult those who sell insurance about the details.

JOHN S.—By saying a horse wins "by a length" is meant he wins by about the length of his stretched body, estimated at 10 feet, that is the heels of the winning horse are about at the head of the horse nearest him.

DUMRELL.—The Constitution requires that a population census of the United States be taken every 10 years. The last one was in 1920. Estimates of population are taken frequently, and an estimate is available every year for each state, either from U. S. Census figures or the estimates of local officials.

BOMBERS.—Drilling a hole in glass is a comparatively simple matter for the skilled worker, but may be found by an amateur to be quite difficult. The process is as follows:

LEGAL INFORMATION
(By a Member of the St. Louis Bar Association)

DAILY READER.—A permit is required to buy a pistol, but you may keep it at home without a permit.

GAMBLER.—Such an immigrant as mentioned will have to go back to his country before he can become a citizen.

A. T. D.—It is given as an opinion that the child would take only a single year. It would be necessary to establish the absence for seven years, after which the child would be considered as a native-born citizen.

CONSTANT READER.—The claim will still be against the partnership, unless the claimant consented to make it. The claim may be sued on at any time.

MEDICAL QUESTIONS
Health and sanitation questions of public interest only will be considered. Diagnosis or treatment of individual cases will not be given.

W. E. V.—Send stamped, addressed envelope for instructions for your letter, referring to W. E. V. Text is long for publication.

VERY ANXIOUS TO KNOW.—The symptoms mentioned indicate a rheumatic condition and should be benefited by the child taking teaspoonful doses three times daily of guaiacum in a wineglass of water, also heat locally applied to the sites of pain, correcting constipation.

ADVICE.—The tablets cannot be given as it is not known of what they are composed. Trional is not a habit-forming drug, but as is true of all drugs, should not be taken except when absolutely necessary, the dose being reduced and the intervals of taking increased as soon as possible. The tonic mentioned is a good one and would likely prove beneficial in this particular case.

Marriage Licenses
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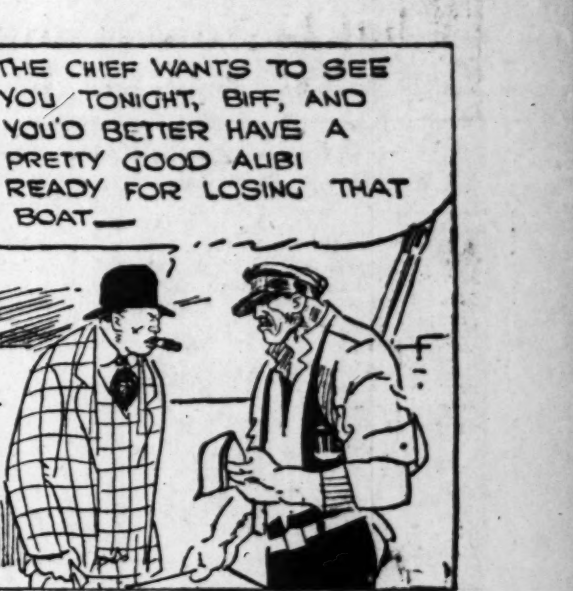
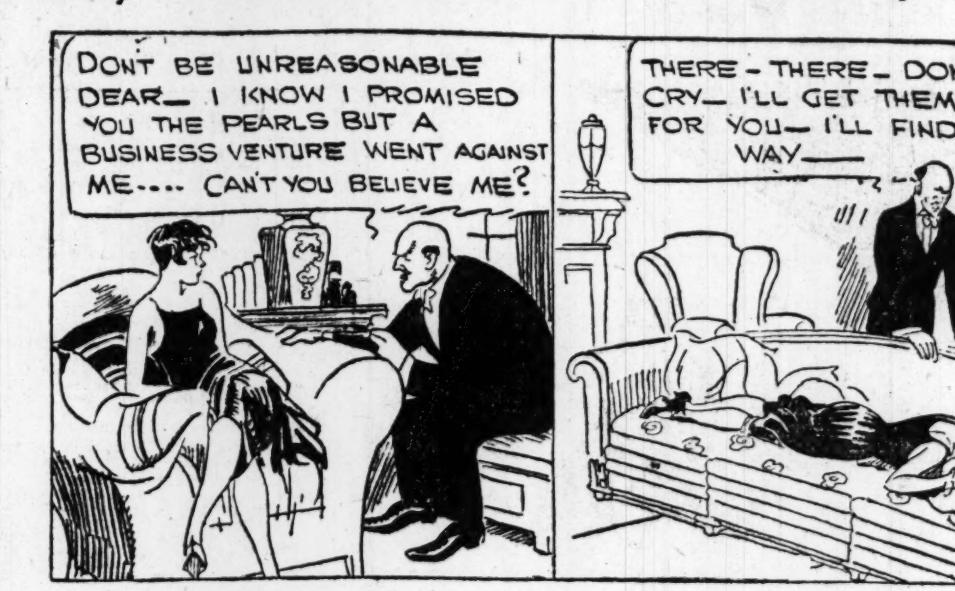
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Bobby Thatcher—By George Storm

—Woman's Weapons



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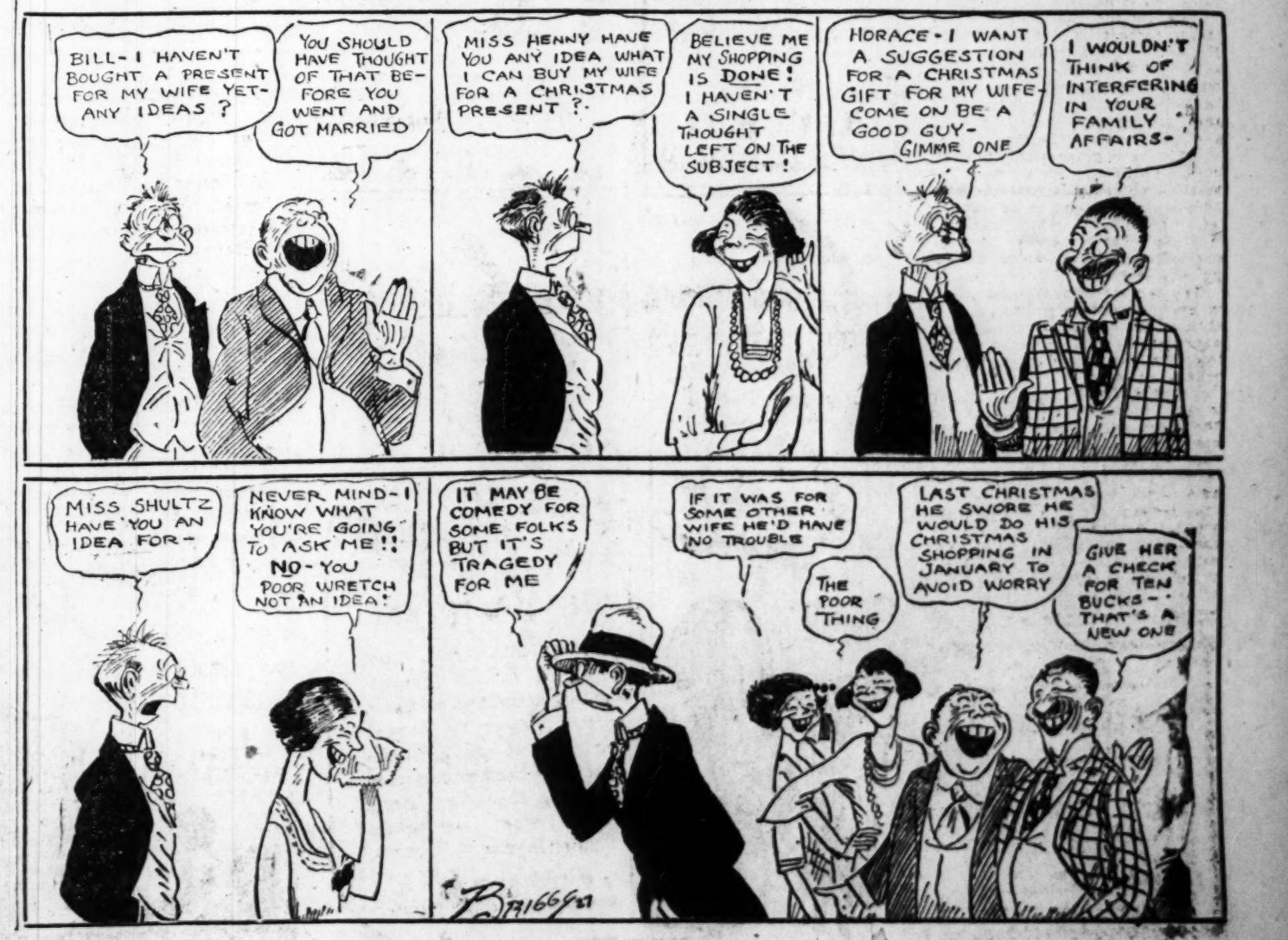
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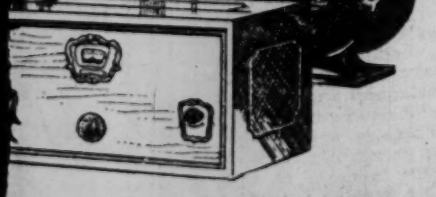
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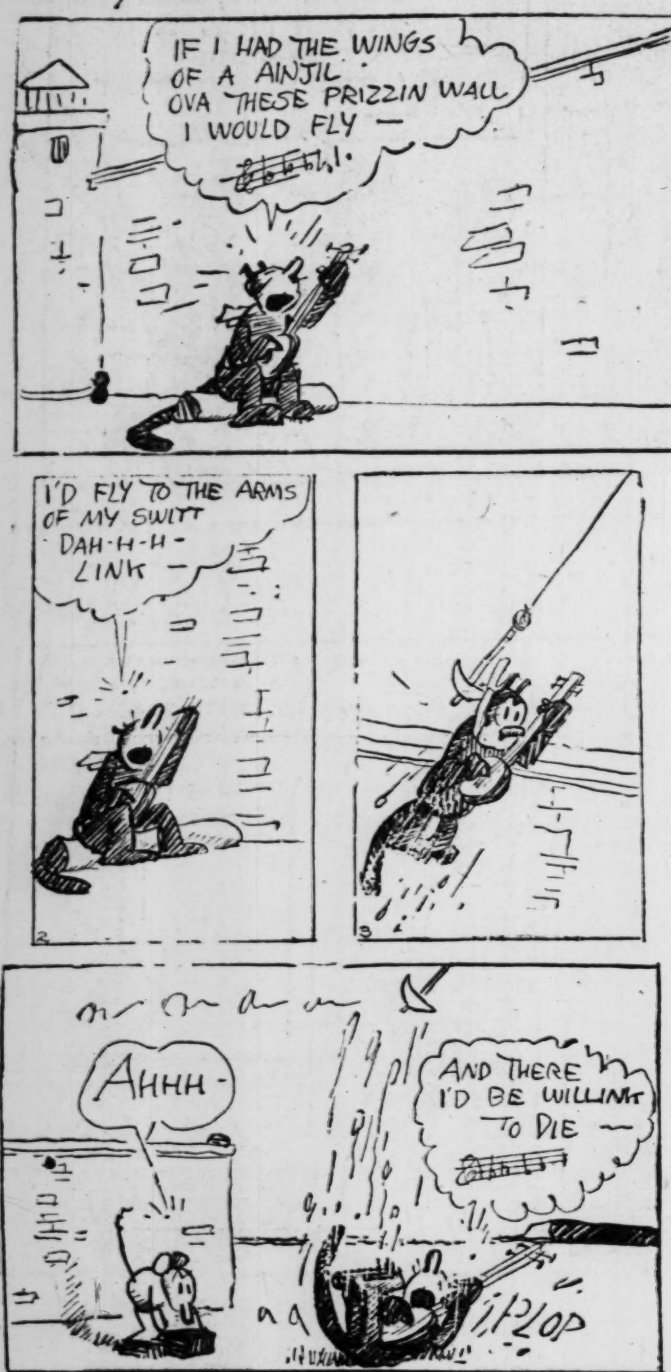
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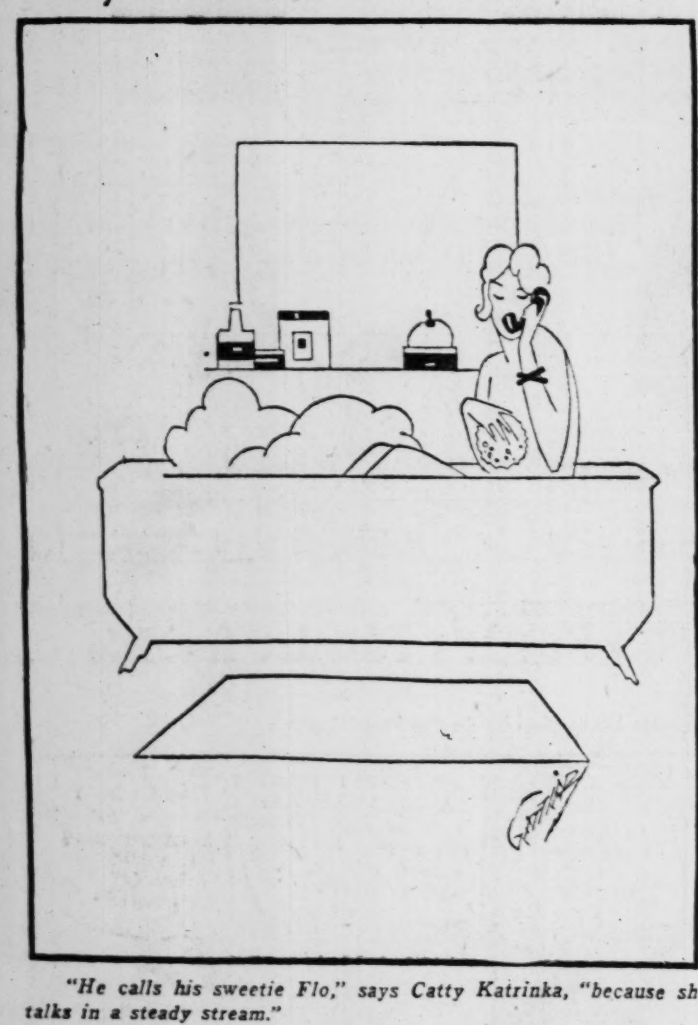


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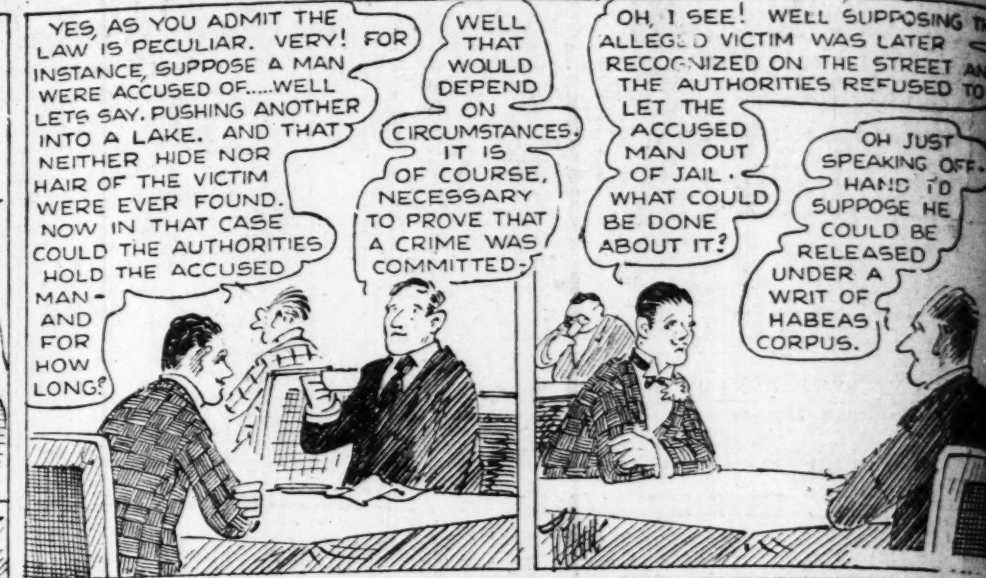
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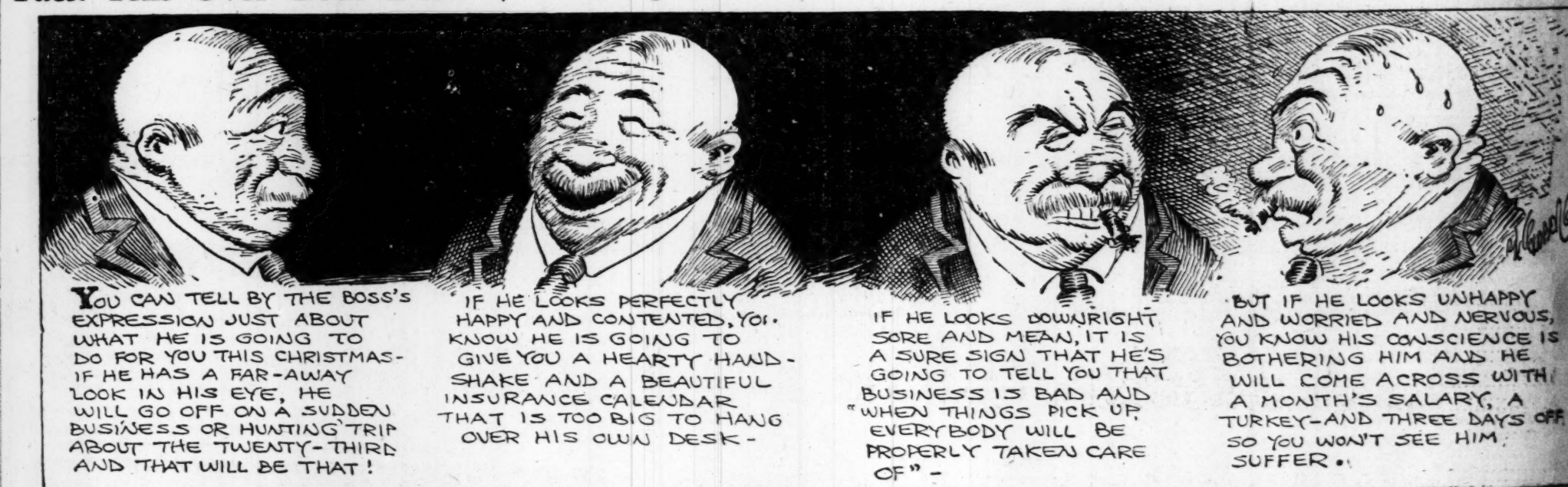


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19 RUSSIANS, 14 CHINESE WOMEN SLAIN IN CANTON BY NATIONALISTS

Bobbed Hair Marks Girl Radicals for Execution by Firing Squads in Roundup of Communists.

SOVIET SUBJECTS MUST REGISTER

Ordered to Report by Dec. 23—Those Who Do Not Will Be Expelled, Nanking Authorities Say.

By the Associated Press.
SHANGHAI, Dec. 17.—Nineteen Russians have been executed in the streets of Canton as a warning against communism, according to advices from Hongkong today.
(A dispatch direct from Canton also tells of the execution of 14 Chinese women.)
The registration of all soviet subjects by Dec. 23 has been ordered by the Nanking Nationalist Government in its campaign against communism. Registration will be enforced throughout the territory over which the Nanking Government rules. Those who do not register will be expelled.
During the anti-Red roundup in Canton, raids were made on the haunts of radical and labor leaders. Many of these men were marched through the streets, being forced to run the gauntlet through infuriated crowds. The prisoners were mutilated. More dead than alive, these under arrest were herded into prison. Some of them were executed later.

At least six Russians of the soviet consular staff were executed. Others were lodged in jail. It was said they probably would meet the fate of their compatriots.
"To Revenge the People."
Other Russians in Canton were arrested by Canton troops and taken to military headquarters. Others were taken in a motor car to police headquarters. The car had a sign written in Chinese on white cloth, reading: "To revenge the people."
Thirteen other Russians were executed Thursday. Condemned, they were lined up outside the entrance to the Bureau of Public Safety and shot by a firing squad. The execution was carried out openly, the authorities apparently having in view the salutary effect on the communist situation.
The order for the registration of the Russians was made public in Shanghai to Quo Tsi-chi, Nationalist Vice Minister for Foreign Affairs. "I do not expect many raids to remain," he said. "If they do and agitations continue, we will establish a detention camp and force them to live in it."
Martial law is in effect in the Chinese section of Shanghai. United States Marines and British and Japanese troops are patrolling districts in which demonstrations are likely. The closest vigilance is being maintained.

Canton, "City of the Dead": Trucks Piled High With Bodies.
CANTON, Dec. 17.—At least 14 bobbed-haired girls and women have been shot down by anti-Red troops. Bobbed hair is considered to be the sign of a female Communist in China. The troops shot down the girls and women in the streets without compunction.

It was stated here that it has been definitely established that the Communist plot at Canton was organized by the soviet Consul-General Polivalky. He was said to be under arrest.
(There were rumors in Hongkong that the soviet Consul-General was executed in the roundup of Russians after the counter-revolutionary movement.)
Canton has been quite aptly described as a "city of the dead" since the suppression of the Communist, peasant and labor uprisings of last Sunday. Photographs confirm the reports of ruthless slaughter. There are pictures available of trucks loaded with bodies, piled three and four deep, as they were driven through the streets to burial places. Long rows of bodies lay on the pavements.

MORROW AND STIMSON CONFIRMED BY SENATE

Few Votes in Opposition to Nomination of Ambassador to Mexico.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—With only a few votes in opposition, the Senate today confirmed the nomination of Dwight W. Morrow as Ambassador to Mexico.
Henry L. Stimson of New York was confirmed by the Senate as Governor-General of the Philippines.

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